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**BUSBEE & BATTLE,**
**Attorneys and Counsellors at Law,**
RALEIGH, N. C.

WILL attend promptly to any business intrusted to their care in the central Counties of the State, and in the State and Federal Courts. 71—

QUENTIN BUSBEE, *Commissioner of Deeds, &c. for the States of*

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| New York, | Pennsylvania, | Maryland, |
| Virginia, | South Carolina, | Georgia, |
| Alabama, | Mississippi, | Florida, |
| Texas, | Arkansas, | Tennessee. |

Raleigh, July 19, 1854. 71—

**ED. GRAHAM HAYWOOD,**
**Counsellor and Attorney at Law,**
RALEIGH, N. C.,

Will attend the County and Superior Courts of Wake, Johnston, Chatham and New Hanover. He is to be found at the office formerly occupied by the late Hon. Will. H. Haywood, Jr.
Raleigh, January 8, 1854. 16—w&sw6m.

**JAMES J. IREDELL,**
**Attorney and Counsellor at Law,**
RALEIGH, N. C.,

Will attend to all business entrusted to him, in the Courts of this and the adjoining Counties.
Office—the one occupied by the late Hon. James Iredell.
Raleigh, June 15th, 1853. 62—tf.

**GEO. HOWARD, Jr.,**
**Attorney at Law,**
RALEIGH, N. C.,

HAVING located at WILSON, N. C., will regularly attend the Courts of Pitt, Greene, Wayne and Edgecombe Counties. Office next door to Gay's Hotel.
Wilson, Edgecombe, July 19, 1854. 71—

**WILLIAM H. JONES,**
**Attorney and Counsellor at Law,**
RALEIGH, N. C.,

Will attend the Courts of Chatham, Johnston and Wake
February 23, 1853. 29—tf.

**WINSTON & CLARKE,**
**Counsellors and Attorneys at Law,**
RALEIGH, N. C.

P. H. WINSTON. WM. J. CLARKE.
March 29, 1853. 34—

**Law Copartnership.**
**MILLER AND ROGERS,**
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW,
RALEIGH, N. C.

Will attend promptly to all business entrusted to them.
H. W. MILLER, S. H. ROGERS.
October 23, 1854. 66—tf.

A. M. MCPHEETERS, H. CHISELIN. J. W. MARTIN.

**A. M. McPHEETERS, & CO.**
**Wholesale Grocers,**
FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
*Office at No. 6, Roanoke Square,*
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C. DEWEY, Cashier " " "
W. H. JONES, Cashier Bank of Cape Fear.
L. O'B. BRANCH, President Raleigh and Gaston Road.
Messrs. Reid & Soutter, Dr. N. C. Whitehead, Pres't Farmer's B'k of Va. Alex. Bell, Esq. } *Norfolk.*
Messrs. Spence & Reid, *Baltimore.*
" B. Blossom & Son, *New York.*
September 16, 1853. 87—

**BAIN, HATTON & CO.,**
WHOLESALE GROCERS, FORWARDING, PRODUCE AND
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
*Corner King and Water Sts.,*
**Portsmouth, Va.,**

Give their personal attention to the sale and shipment of all kinds of Produce and Merchandise, and make liberal advances on consignments.
D. A. BAIN, E. A. HATTON, G. M. BAIN, jr.
Portsmouth, Va., March 27, 1844. 38—

**LEWIS & KING,**
**Commission Merchants,**
MOBILE, ALABAMA.

B. B. LEWIS, formerly of Franklin Co., N. C.
Dr. PETTON KING, of Pickens Co., Ala.
A. M. Lewis, our authorized agent of Raleigh, N. C.
June 6, 1854. 58—

**KADER BIGGS & CO.,**
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
*Tunis's Wharf, Town Point,*
**Norfolk, Va.**

*References*—Messrs Bloodgood & Co., E. P. Tabb, & Co., and Alex'r. Bell, Esq., Norfolk; Hon. Asa Biggs, William son, N. C.; Col. J. B. G. Roulhac, Raleigh, N. C.; Lewis Thompson, Esq., Hotel, N. C.
October 23, 1854. 96—1vsw.

**Texas Real Estate Brokerage,**
COLLECTING AND LAND AGENCY.
**RAYMOND, FREEMAN & CO.,**
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
*City of Austin, Texas.*
D. C. FREEMAN, JR. N. C. RAYMOND. G. R. FREEMAN

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FIDELITY to the interests of NON-residents.
REGISTERS of land for sale, in all parts of the State; full exhibits of title and accurate descriptions, also registers of town and city lots.
LANDS located, bought and sold.
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A THOROUGH and intimate knowledge of the country, and the land system, insures superior locations and the best titles.
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REGISTERS open for examination.
☞ Office in Congress Avenue.
May 20, 1854. 54—1y.

**FALL TRADE, 1854.**
WE ARE NOW RECEIVING PER STEAMER BALtic and Alps, and the Packet Ship Caroline, our Fall Importation of
**Foreign Dry Goods,**
Purchased for *Cash* by an agent of Mr. W. Weddell at *very low* rates. We are also in receipt of a large and commanding Stock of
**Domestic Fabrics.**
Purchased from first hands, and at the recent
**Large Auction Sales**
at great sacrifices.
We respectfully solicit a call from the North Carolina and Virginia Merchants, feeling confident we can offer them Goods at as *low prices* as can be found in any market.
STEVENSON & WEDDELL.
PETERSBURG, VA. 83—

**SAMUEL W. PEPPER,**
SUCCESSOR TO
HENRY J. PEPPER & SON,
Watches, Jewelry and Silverware, No. 175 Chesnut St. opposite the State House, Philadelphia, Pa.
June 6, 1854. 58—1y.

NOTICE.—APPLICATION WILL BE MADE TO the Legislature of North Carolina at its next Session, for the incorporation of the Mining Company, now operating at the Gardner Hill Mine, in the County of Guilford.
Sept. 27, 1854. 90—td.

NOTICE.—APPLICATION WILL BE MADE TO the next Legislature of North Carolina for the privilege of erecting a dam across Neuse River, a few hundred yards above the Smithfield Bridge.
Sept. 18, 1854. 86—30d.

**AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY.**—The subscriber has on hand the largest stock of Farming Implements to be found in the State, embracing horse powers which have taken the first premiums at the late Fair, held in Baltimore and this city; wheat Threshers, wheat Drills seed Sowers, corn Planters, Corn shellers of every kind, to shell from 800 to 1500 bushels per day, which are sold low, and warranted fully equal to any to be found in the Union; straw cutters for hand and horse power, hominy Mills, Grist mills capable of grinding 20 bushels of good meal per hour; Corn Cob Crushers, Vegetable Cutters, Fan mills, some of which have taken 54 premiums with several medals and certificates of their pre-eminence over all others; Harrows of every size and shape. Cullivators for one and two horses, with wrought and cast iron and reversable steel teeth, Cotton and Tobacco Cultivators, Plows of all patterns for one, two, three and four horses, as large and desirable an assortment as can be found in any house north or south, with 40 tons of Plow Castings to suit; ox Yokes, ox Bows, Yoke irons, Bow pins, whiffle Trees, Trase Chains, Ox and Log Chains, Axes, Grub hoes, wedges, Drag and Cultivator Teeth, spades, shovels, Forks, (some worth $6 each,) Garden Tools, hoes, Garden Plows and Cultivators, Chain Pumps, Cast Iron Pumps, Garden Engines, Post-hole Augers, Bull Rings, Ox Balls, Butter Churns, with every other desirable Implement for the Farm, to be found in any Agricultural House north or south, with many other desirable goods, viz: Bar Iron of all sizes for the farm, blacksmith, ship wright, carriage makers, &c. &c.; bellows, anvils, vices, stocks and dies, hand and sledge hammers, blast pipes, cart boxes, carriage axles and springs, couldrons and other hollow castings, grindstones framed and not framed, with friction rollers for same, &c., with a large lot of superior green and black teas, cigars, white and colored carpet warp, hemp twine for sturgeon nets, wrought and cut nails, ship and boat spikes, with a great many other goods, which cannot be enumerated in an advertisement. All in want, are invited to call and supply themselves on the best terms.
S. MARCH.
Norfolk, Va., Dec. 15, 1853. 10—

**NORTH-CAROLINA & NORFOLK.**—THE PRACTICAL HATTERS would respectfully call the attention of the "Trade" and "Dealers" to their stock of SPRING AND SUMMER HATS,
the largest and best that has ever been offered in Norfolk, and not surpassed by any, and at prices that cannot fail to give satisfaction. They are confident that Merchants will find it to their advantage to call before making their purchases. Those that are willing to extend to us their patronage may rely on having Goods, whether of our own Manufacture or Imported, as Fashionable, Fine and Cheap as any Northern Jobber. We earnestly request Merchants to call and be *convinced* that we are prepared and *will* furnish every thing in our line on the best terms.
Ladies' and Misses' Bonnets in great variety. Canes and Umbrellas wholesale.
CEPHALOMETRON!
This beautiful instrument is considered one of the greatest and most useful inventions of the age. It would be impossible, by the minutest description, to give a correct idea of its utility. Hats made by it will fit the most difficult heads, conforming to every protuberance and depression of the cranium, thus preventing the unpleasant feeling of a new Hat and painful headache. We could give you certificates of Physicians and the experience of the Trade, but prefer that all may examine for themselves. No one can properly appreciate its advantages without having one of our superior Hats.
☞ Hats made to order in the most fashionable manner, and without extra charge.
STEVENS & BUTT,
No. 7 Market Square, Norfolk, Va.
May 11, 1853. 51—tf.

**SPRING 1854.**—WHOLESALE BOOT AND SHOE TRADE, *Petersburg, Va.* We take pleasure in announcing to the Merchants of Virginia and North Carolina, that one of our house has just returned from the North and East, where he has purchased an extensive and commanding stock of Boots, Shoes, Brogans, Trunks, Carpet Bags, Valices, Wrapping Paper, Lacings, &c., and all other articles belonging to our branch of business.
Our assortment this season will be much larger and more varied than heretofore, in order to meet the demands of a rapidly increasing trade. Our goods have all been bought of First Hands, and selected with great care by an old buyer, of thirty years experience, with special reference to the wants of the Virginia and North Carolina Merchants.
We are now in receipt of a portion of our stock and are in daily expectation of large accessions thereto, which will render our assortment one of the most complete and attractive ever offered to the Southern Trade.
In soliciting an examination we assure our friends and the public generally, that our prices shall be found as low and as reasonable as those of any similar establishment south of Massachusetts.
☞ Merchants and others buying by the Package or Dozen will find it to their interest to examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere, as it is our determination to sell as cheap as any of our northern competitors.
W. R. JOHNSON & CO.,
Two doors below Paul & McIlwaine,
East side Sycamore st., Petersburg, Va.
Feb. 23, 1854. 32—1y.

**TO THE PUBLIC.**—THE SUBSCRIBER IS pleased to inform the public that his CHOLERA AND DIARRHŒA MEDICINE affords more prompt relief in the various affections of the Bowels, and consequently more satisfaction to all who have used it, than any other Medicine ever offered to the public. The following are among many testimonials of its efficacy:
Dr. R. H. WORTHINGTON—Dear Sir: I take much pleasure in adding my testimony to others in favor of your remedy for Bowel Affections, &c., having so frequently experienced its beneficial results in my own case, as well as in many others to whom I have given it. I carried a bottle of it with me to Baltimore, (and here permit me to say, I would as soon think of traveling without money as without this remedy,) and finding many among my acquaintances there who were suffering with various forms of Bowel Affections, I gave it freely, and in NO INSTANCE did it fail to afford the MOST PROMPT AND DECIDED RELIEF, as it has done here. I congratulate you, and especially the public, on the discovery of a medicine which is better calculated to protect mankind and alleviate suffering, than any other ever brought before the people. L. T. SPIERS.

This is to certify that, some weeks back, I was taken with a violent Diarrhœa, which persisted for eight days. Being some sixty miles from home, I made use of all the remedies I could think of, but without affording any relief. On arriving at home, I was informed that Dr. R. H. Worthington had prepared a remedy for Cholera, &c., and was advised to use it. I did so, and to my astonishment, one single dose gave speedy and permanent relief, since which time I have used it frequently in my family; and in justice to the Doctor say, I consider it *much the most valuable Medicine* I have used in an experience of twenty years.
F. M. CAPEHART.
Murfreesboro', N. C., Oct. 2, '54.

Dr. WORTHINGTON—Dear Sir: I take great pleasure in recommending your Cholera Medicine to the public, and more especially since I have had personal experience and observation of its beneficial effects.
I have tried several remedies put up for Cholera, &c., but have never found such happy results from any as from your invaluable remedy. I have such unbounded confidence in its efficacy, that I am unwilling and will not leave home without a supply with me; and I regard it as one of the most valuable discoveries of the age. Yours, truly,
W. P. BEAMAN.
WINDSOR, N. C., Sept. 19, '54.

Dr. R. H. WORTHINGTON—Dear Sir: I have made some effort, and have succeeded in introducing your Medicine to the public, and I find it is taking very well indeed; and the result is, that I have nearly sold what you sent me. I therefore wish you would send me some more as soon as you can. * * * I have not the slightest doubt but that this Medicine is the very best remedy out for the disease for which it is recommended. I hope you will soon send me a supply, as I would not like to get entirely out of it.
Yours, truly,
GEORGE W. McGLAUGHON.

[From the Murfreesboro' Gazette.]
MESSRS. EDITORS: In looking over the last number of the Gazette, I found a communication from our friend, Mr. L. T. Spiers, recommending Dr. R. H. Worthington's Cholera Mixture to the public, for the cure of Diarrhœa, Dysentery, and other kindred diseases. Having experienced in my own case, the happy effects of its use, as well as other members of my family, I can safely say that I regard it as superior to any remedy we have ever used, in an experience of twenty years. I would, therefore, recommend it to every family, as an invaluable remedy, and every individual to procure a bottle and keep it by them in these times of cholera.
R. R. PARKER.
Murfreesboro', Aug. 30, '54.

This is to certify that I have used Dr. R. H. Worthington's Cholera Medicine in my family for the last four or five weeks, in several cases of Bowel Complaint, so common in our vicinity, with invariable success. One of the cases was that of a negro child, some four or five months old, who was so emaciated by the effects of the disease, that its life was nearly despaired of, when my wife happened to think that she would try the Cholera Medicine, and did so with complete success, in less than forty-eight hours. I am thoroughly of opinion that no family should be without so fine a medicine.
Given under my hand, this 3d day of October, '54.
A. W. DARDEN.
MURFREESBORO', N. C.

Dr. R. H. WORTHINGTON: It affords us pleasure to say, that we have used your Cholera Diarrhœa Medicine for the last twelve months, and have found it invariably successful, in relieving speedily the cases in which we have had occasion to use it. We entertain a high appreciation of its value, and have no hesitation in expressing the opinion, that it will prove to be a valuable family medicine.
RICHARD G. COWPER.
B. F. SPIERS.
Oct. 17, 1854. 96—tf.
For sale by Williams & Haywood, Raleigh, N. C.

**PREPARATION FOR THE FALL AND WINTER CAMPAIGN, 1854-'55 AT THE CLOTHING BAZAAR.** Having completed the extensive additions to our wholesale department, which have been under contract the past season, have now the pleasure of announcing that both the lower and upper rooms of this *Mammoth Clothing Establishment* are well filled with the largest assortment of seasonable and *Fashionable Clothing* ever displayed at the same time in the Old Dominion. The firm invite especial attention to the quality, workmanship, style and price of their clothing, believing that in all respects it has unrivaled claims upon the attention of the Wholesale purchaser. Especial attention is given at all times to the selection of sizes, so that the purchaser of a small stock will only have those sizes which fit the majority of customers, and leaving them with a clean stock at the close of the season.
Our stock comprises every thing properly belonging to the Ready made Clothing and Gentlemen's Furnishing business, in part as follows:

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| French Black Dress and Frock Coats, | $18 to 35 |
| English " " " " | 14 to 20 |
| American and German " " | 6 to 15 |

Fancy, dress and frock coats of every desirable color, Cloth, Cassimere, Tweed and Beaver Sacks, half Sacks, Frocks and Paletots, varying in prices from three to twelve dollars.
Over Coats of every suitable style of goods in market, from the lowest to the finest grade.
Cloaks, Caledonians, Julien and Talma.
PANTS—in our large and choice assortment may be found styles to suit all tastes, black Cassimere and French Doe Skin, also, French, English and American fancy and solid colors.
VESTS—Rich Plush, Velvet, Grenedine, Florentine and Baratha Silk, Cashmere, Imitation Cashmere, Blue and Fancy Cloth, Black and Fancy Satin, Farmer's Satin, with a large assortment of party and wedding vests, not surpassed by any establishment.
Our *Furnishing Establishment* is well supplied with everything pertaining to that branch of the business, as Gloves, Shirts, Collars, black and fancy Cravats, Stocks, Scarfs, Drawers, Money Belts, Dressing Gowns, &c., &c. Our prices will be uniform and as low as goods of the same quality can be purchased in the Northern cities.
To the *cash* and *prompt paying* purchaser we solicit a call to examine our stock before making their purchases.
A. S. SHAFER & CO.,
Clothing Bazaar, cor. Syc. and Dock st.
Petersburg, September 5, 1854. 83—

**LEATHER FOR SPRING SALES,** WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.—We respectfully inform our friends and the public that we have in store a large and most excellent *Stock of Leather and Findings*, for the Spring Trade, which we will sell as low as any other establishment South of New York, and for less price than they can be had even there, expenses of travelling, freight, &c., considered.
All of our purchases having been made from the Importers and Manufacturers by the whole case or package, and the advantage of receiving Leather regularly from our own Tannery, places it in our power to sell Goods as above stated. Those who wish to buy cannot lose by giving our stock an examination, and we believe we shall be able to please, both as to price and quality. Below we enumerate some of the leading articles viz:

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| 20 | dozen of Crawford's Calf Skins (this maker had the premium awarded to him at the World's Fair held in London in 1851.) |
| 40 | dozen French Skins, best quality, |
| 40 | " American Calf Skins, |
| 90 | " Lining and Binding Skins, |
| 10 | " Morocco Skins, |
| 800 | Sides Oak Tanned and Hemlock Sole Leather, |
| 50 | " Band Leather, |

Lasts, Boot-Trees, Shoe and Boot Maker's Tools of every kind, Tanner's and Currier's Tools.
Also, Sewed Brogans of our own manufacture, warranted to give satisfaction, and many other articles too numerous to mention, at No. 21, Old street, opposite B. P. Harrison's Saddlery. F. A. & R. H. FORD.
N. B. We pay the highest price in cash for Green and Dried Hides delivered to us at our Store.
Petersburg, May 5, 1852. tf.

**DAILY LINE BETWEEN PORTSMOUTH,** NORFOLK, EDENTON AND PLYMOUTH. On and after Saturday 14th instant, the Steamer SCHULTZ will be placed on the route from Black Water to Plymouth, thus forming a daily line, (Sundays excepted.)
The STAG, Capt. Middleton, will leave Black Water on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, immediately after the arrival of the Cars from Portsmouth. Returning, will leave Plymouth in the evening of the same days.
The SCHULTZ, Capt. Halsey, will leave Black Water on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays after the arrival of the Cars from Portsmouth. Returning, will leave Plymouth on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, as 6 o'clock, A. M. Passing up and down the River in the day time, arriving at Black Water in time for the Express Train.
The SCHULTZ will leave Edenton at 8 o'clock, A. M.; will pass by Colerain at 9½; will be at the Gatesville Wharf at about 11; Winton at 12 o'clock; and Reddick's at 1 P. M.
Passengers coming off in Boats will be taken on board at any point on the Chowan River.
Freight will be received and landed at all convenient points on the River.
J. W. KEELING, *Agent.*
April 3, 1854. 40—tf.

**FIRST PREMIUM!—SMUT AND SCREENING MACHINE, YOUNG'S PATENT. IMPORTANT** TO MILLERS AND MILL OWNERS.—This Machine received the first premium at the North Carolina State Fair, and was recommended to the public as the *best* now in use in the State. Seven hundred of them are now running in North Carolina, all of which are now in operation and have given the most entire satisfaction, in regard both to performance and durability, some having run six years and perform as well now as they did at first, and have not been out of order one day. We have thrown out ten different Smut Machines to make room for this. They are warranted for five years, and delivered at the Mill any where in the State.
Manufactured and sold by
JNO. A. McMANNAN,
South Lowell, Orange County, N. C.
April 16, 1854. 44—tf.
☞ Cut this advertisement out and keep it.

**STEAM REFINED CANDIES,** OF VERY SUperior quality for exportation South, at Wholesale prices.
Candies assorted per lb. C.....12 cents.
Candies assorted per lb. B.....15 do
Candies assorted per lb. Fancy.....20 to 25 do
The above Candies we warrant to be equal in every respect to any made in this country, and will keep in any climate. Orders enclosing cash or satisfactory reference promptly forwarded to any part of the United States and the West Indies. SAM'L. H. MARKS & SON.
Petersburg, March 24, 1854. 37—

**Blacksmithing, Horse-Shoeing, &c.**
EDWARD YARBROUGH, Jr., HAVING erected a new Blacksmith Shop at the corner of Hargett and Wilmington St's., is prepared to have all work in the above line executed with care and dispatch. The well known *Jim Atkins*, with competent assistants, being permanently engaged, he is enabled to have the animals entrusted to his care shod in a workmanlike manner.
Raleigh, May 20, 1854. 54—tf.

**WE COME AGAIN!**—HARDWARE! HARD WARE!! *At reduced prices*, also, Jail and Store door Locks warranted not to be picked nor broke open, his own manufacture; also Barn, Smoke-House and Mill Locks, all at reduced prices. Come and see. Guns, Pistols, &c., &c.
JOS. WOLTERING.
Raleigh, July 14, 1854. 69—3m.

**FISH AND OYSTERS.**—THE SUBSCRIBERS having rented the front part of the store occupied by Mr. C. B. Moore, near the Post Office, intend keeping for sale the finest Norfolk Oysters and Fish. Persons wanting the above article may rest assured of getting them Fresh. Spiced and Pickled Oysters will always be kept for sale by the keg or by retail. Any one wanting a quantity will have their orders attended to by giving one or two days notice.
Orders from the country with reference will be promptly attended to. JOHN G. SIBLEY & CO.
Raleigh, October 23, 1854. 96—3m.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
Office of Secretary of State, 20th Oct.

**THE CLERKS of THE COUNTY COURTS** of this State, will please read a Resolution of the General Assembly of 1850-'51, found on page 505, with the Laws of said session, where they will see it is made their duty to send to this office a certified list of the acting Justices of Peace of their respective Counties, every two years thereafter. The time is near when this should be done.
WM. HILL, *Sec. of State.*
Raleigh, Oct. 20, '54. 96—tf.

**MASONIC.**—THE OFFICERS, MEMBERS AND Representatives of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina are hereby informed that the Annual Communication of the Masonic body will be held in this City on MONDAY EVENING, the 4th DECEMBER next, at 7 o'clock, for the transaction of business. Officers of the respective Lodges are requested to attend in person, or cause proper delegates to be appointed in obedience to the Constitution and general regulations of the Grand Lodge.
WILLIAM T. BAIN,
*Grand Secretary.*
October 23, 1854. 93—td.

*To the Members of the Senate of the approaching General Assembly.*
The undersigned announces himself as a candidate for Assistant Doorkeeper to the Senate. If elected, he will endeavor to perform his duty faithfully. He was unanimously appointed Doorkeeper to the last Democratic State Convention, and flatters himself that he gave general satisfaction to that body.
JAMES W. CHADWICK.
Raleigh, Oct., 2, 1854. 90—tf.

**NORTH-CAROLINA MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY,** *Raleigh*,—This Company has been in successful operation for more than seven years, and continues to take risks upon all classes of property in the State (except Steam Mills and Turpentine Distilleries,) upon favorable terms.
Its Policies now cover property amounting to $4,500,000, a large portion of which is in country risks; and its present Capital is over Six Hundred Thousand Dollars, in bonds properly secured.
The average cost of Insurance upon the plan of this Company, has been less than one-third of one per cent per annum, on all grades of property embraced in its operations.
The following persons have been elected Directors and Officers of this Company for the present year:
DIRECTORS.

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| Jos. G. B. ROULHAC, | JOHN COX, Edenton, |
| C. W. D. HUTCHINGS, | JOSHUA BONNER, Salem, |
| JNO. R. WILLIAMS, | J. H. POOL, Elizabeth City, |
| JOHN PRIMROSE, | F. F. FAGAN, Plymouth, |
| H. D. TURNER, | ALEX'R MITCHELL, Newbern, |
| S. W. WHITING, | W. N. H. SMITH, Murfreesborough, |
| T. H. SELBY, | H. B. WILLIAMS, Charlotte, |
| GEO. MCNEIL, Fayetteville, | JOHN B. BARRETT, Milton, |
| J. G. WRIGHT, Wilmington, | A. T. SUMMY, Asheville. |
| JAS. E. HOYT, Washington, | |
| JAMES SLOAN, Greensboro', | |

} of Raleigh.

All Directors are authorised to receive applications.
OFFICERS.
J. G. B. ROULHAC, *President*,
HENRY D. TURNER, *Vice-President*,
S. W. WHITING, *Treasurer*,
JOHN C. PARTRIDGE, *Secretary*,
JOHN H. BRYAN, *Attorney*,
J. HERSMAN, *General Agent*,
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All communications in reference to Insurance should be addressed to the Secretary, post paid.
JOHN C. PARTRIDGE, *Secretary.*
Raleigh, Jan. 11, 1853. 19—

**NORTH CAROLINA MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.**—*Office, Raleigh, N. C.*—This Company continues to insure the lives of all healthy White persons and Slaves.
The greatest risk taken on a single life is $5,000. Slaves are insured for a term of one to five years for two-thirds their value.
OFFICERS.
DR. CHAS. E. JOHNSON, *President.*
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DR. WM. H. MCKEE, *Examining Physician.*
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All losses are paid within 90 days after satisfactory proof is presented.
Blanks and Pamphlets, showing the plan of operation of the Company, may be had on application at the Office, or any of the Agencies. All letters on business should be addressed to JAMES F. JORDAN,
*Secretary.*
Raleigh, April 28th, 1850. 51—

**GREENSBOROUGH MUTUAL INSURANCE CO.** At the end of Three Years, such has been the care and economy of the officers of this Company, that we are still free from debt; have made no assessments and have now such a large Capital in cash and notes, that we have no hesitation in saying to the public, that there is no safer Company in the Southern Country. The most of the Risks in this Company being in the Western part of the State, where the danger from fire is much less.
At the last annual Meeting the following officers were re-elected.
JAMES SLOAN, President
S. G. COFFIN, Vice President.
C. P. MENDENHALL, Attorney.
PETER ADAMS, Sec'y & Treasurer.
W. H. CUMMING, Gen. Agent.
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All communications should be directed to the Secretary free of Postage. PETER ADAMS Sec'y.
August 6, 1854. 75—tf

**GREENSBOROUGH MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY.** This Company offers inducements to those wishing to effect Insurances for life, rarely presented by similar institutions.
Those who take Policies of Insurance for Life, and those only, are *Members of the Company*—entitled to such profits as may be realized from an accumulated Premium Fund, and from the large amount of Deposits in the Trust Departments of the Company, which are kept actively employed.
Policies of Insurance issued on the applicants' own life, or on the lives of slaves, for a year, or term of years, at a moderate rate of premium.
Deposits of money received in the Trust Department—the operation of which is that of a *Saving's Bank*—and the depositors allowed interest at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum for any time not exceeding four months; 4 per cent. over four and not exceeding six months; and 5 per cent. for any time over six months.
Pamphlets containing full and particular information forwarded to any required address.
D. P. WEIR, *Sec. & Treas.*
Greensborough, N. C. September 1, 1854. 87—1y.

**CASWELL MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.**—This Company, chartered at the last session of the General Assembly of North Carolina, and located in the town of Milton, has been fully organized, and is now prepared to receive applications for Insurance on Houses, Furniture, Goods, Factories, &c. The terms will be the same as those of the other Mutual Fire Insurance Companies of the State.
All applications must state the location and situation of the buildings and other property on which Insurance is desired.
The undersigned has been appointed General Agent for this Company, and he is also the Agent for the Ætna Fire Insurance Company of Hartford, Connecticut, and the Hartford Insurance Company, located in the same place.
All applications for Insurance or local Agencies to be addressed to WILLIE J. PALMER, *Secretary*, or the subscriber.
NATHANIEL J. PALMER.
Milton, N. C., April 15th, 1853. 43—tf.

**VALUABLE COTTON FACTORY AND MILLS FOR SALE.**—THE UNDERSIGNED, pursuant to an Order of Court of Equity, will offer to the highest bidder on the premises, *at the Falls of Tar River, in Edgecombe County*, about one mile from Rocky Mount Depot, on Wednesday the 1st day of November next, the FACTORY AND MILLS owned by the late James S. Battle and William S. Battle—also several small tracts of Land adjacent thereto. The said Factory has been worked for many years in the spinning of Cotton Yarn, and is now in full operation being well fitted with every kind of machinery necessary to that business, and having a new and substantial stone dam which has been recently erected at great cost. Near by the said Factory there is A GRIST MILL, with five pair of stones, which is likewise in full operation, and also A SAW MILL, which has been in constant use a great number of years, with a new Circular Saw recently put up. With fifty acres of land on which are located A FINE DWELLING, Together with other buildings suited for the habitation of Overseers and Operatives.—With the said Factory and Mills will be sold, *Several small Lots of Land*, one lot of 80 acres, suitable for furnishing timber for the saw. This sale presents to the capitalist a fine opportunity for a profitable investment.
At the same time will be sold, a Lot of 6 or 8 acres on the north side of the river, on which is A STORE HOUSE. Also, a Lot of one or two acres at Rocky Mount Depot, on which is also a Store House. Likewise, a small piece of piney wood land, about two miles from the Falls, of 100 acres.
Terms—the purchaser of the Factory and Mills will be required to give bonds with able sureties, payable in four equal annual instalments, with interest from the day of sale.
The purchaser of the other property will be required to give bond with able sureties, payable in nine and eighteen months with interest from day of sale.
KENELM H. LEWIS, C. M. E.
Sept. 18th, 1854. 87—td.

**5,200 ACRES of TURPENTINE Land** FOR SALE.—We offer for sale a tract of Pine Land containing about 5,200 acres, situated in Onslow county, adjoining the New Hanover county line. The Holly Shelter road from Wilmington to Jacksonville and Richlands, runs through it. There are 11 crops of Boxes on the land now in successful working condition; a Turpentine Still, capable of running 30 barrels, a Dwelling House, Store and Warehouse, Cooper's and Blacksmiths shops, Barns, Stables, Negro Houses, and in fact every thing necessary for the prosecution of the business; 16 mules, 6 waggons, timber carriages, &c., stock of cattle and hogs. The produce of the land is hauled 9 miles to navigable water for flat boats at all seasons of the year. The timber is hauled 5½ miles to a Creek. There is a considerable quantity of good timber on the land, and lightwood for making tar in abundance.
The above presents a favorable opportunity for Turpentine and Timber dealers, to make an investment which cannot fail to be highly remunerative. There are no Stills within 10 miles of the place, and consequently no competition in the purchase of the raw material. The subscribers having other business to attend to cannot give the place proper attention, and will sell the whole, or an interest of one-half to a competent person who will take charge of the premises and conduct the business. Apply to
WM. A. GUYER, or
J. R. BLOSSOM,
Wilmington, N. C.
September 16, 1854. 86—tf.

**VALUABLE LAND FOR SALE.**—BEING prevented by my profession from attending properly to agricultural pursuits, I offer for sale my plantation upon the Roanoke and upon Stone House and Pretty creeks, in the counties of Warren and Halifax, containing 998 acres. The tract is situated about seven miles above Gaston, and four miles from the Littleton Depot on the Raleigh & Gaston Railroad. It contains about one hundred acres of excellent low grounds. The balance of the land is generally productive, and well adpted to the growth of the usual crops of this section of the State. The overseer's house, negro houses, stables, barns, and other plantation improvements are good. The water is excellent, and the situation of the buildings is believed to be healthy. It is deemed useless to give a more particular description of the property, as it is presumed that no one would purchase without a careful examination. My overseer will show the land to persons who may desire to examine it. In order to allow a man of enterprise an opportunity to pay a considerable portion of the purchase money out of the crops, I am willing to sell the land upon a credit of one and two years. The purchaser, if he thinks proper, can also buy upon reasonable terms, most of my crop of corn, fodder and oats, and also my stock and plantation utensils. Letters upon the subject many be addressed to me at Warrenton, N. C.
WM. EATON, JR.
Oct. 6, 1854. 1043—2maw.

**Highly Important Sale!**
**LAND FOR SALE** IN WAKE & NASH Counties.
I will sell to the highest bidder, on THURSDAY, 30th NOVEMBER next, at the residence of Benjamin Rogers, in WAKE COUNTY, 16 miles North-west of Raleigh, (and within one mile of said Lands,) the following Tracts, to wit: One Tract containing near Seven Hundred Acres, on the waters of Lick Creek; the other Tract, containing near Seven Hundred Acres, on the waters of Neuse River and Laurel Creek. Both of said Tracts are well adapted to the culture of Tobacco and Cotton, and all kinds of grain. There is a sufficient amount of cleared land on each, and good improvements on both tracts. And if it be desired by the purchasers of the above tracts, I will sell my HOME TRACT, containing about Eight Hundred Acres, which lies between the two tracts specified above. There is a large two story House, with four good fire-places and seven rooms, a good kitchen and all necessary out-houses, situated on my home tract.
Possession of the upper and lower tracts given on the day after sale, and of the home tract on the 25th of December.
There will be at the same time and place a number of NEGROES offered for Sale or Hire. Also, will be sold one Two-horse Carriage, one Mule Team, Gears and Wagon, one Stallion, and five Farm Stock of various kinds.
Terms, one-half cash, the remainder secured by note with good security. CALVIN J. ROGERS, Agent for
Oct. 25, '54. BENJ. ROGERS. 96—td.
Register copy.

**LAND FOR SALE.**—THE SUBSCRIBER OFfers for Sale a Tract of Land, containing 407 acres, lying within one-and-a-fourth miles of Louisburg, in FRANKLIN COUNTY, and on the waters of Tar River and Sycamore Creek. About one-four

## A LIST OF PREMIUMS

*Awarded at the second Annual Fair of the North Carolina State Agricultural Society, held in Raleigh, October 17th, 18th, 19th and 20th, 1854.*

*Thoroughbreds.*

Stallion, Regent, 14 years old, T. H. Miles, Halifax, 1st premium, $10
Stallion, 4 years old, P. C. Cameron, Orange, 2d premium, 5
Bay Colt 2 years old, D. McDaniel, Nash, 1st premium, 5
Black Filly, "Anna Isabella," 2 years old Josiah Turner, Hillsboro,' dip.
Bay Filly, "Dolly Regent," 2 years old, W. H. Hughes, Granville, 1st premium, 5
Colt, "Young Regent," 1 year old, Master J. Davis, Granville, dip.

*Stallions.*

Bay Stallion, "Orange Boy," 7 years. old, J. B. Leathers, Orange, 1st premium, 10
Gray Stallion, "Jno. Randolph," 4 years old, Sol. O'Bryant, Roxboro', 2d pre. 5

*Brood Mares, Fillies and Colts.*

Brood Mare, 5 years old, A. S. Williamson, Caswell, 1st premium, 10
Brood Mare, J. J. Bobbitt, Granville, 2d premium, 5
Brood Mare, T. A. Yancey, Roxboro,' dip.
do do P. C. Cameron, Orange, dip.
do do W. A. Eaton, Granville, dip.
Bay Filly, 3 years old, Fenner Young, Wake, 1st premium, 5
Bay Filly, 3 years old, J. B. Leathers, Orange, 2d premium, dip.
Filly, 3 years old, Wm. E. Wyche, Granville, dip.
Filly, 2 years old, C. Olives, Chatham, 1st premium, 5
Filly, 2 years old, T. J. Moss, Northampton. dip.
Filly, 2 years old, Jos. Dixon, Alamance dip.
Colt, 7 months old, Alex. Dixon, Orange, 1st premium, 5
Colt, 6 months old, R. B. Allen, Granville, dip.
Colt, 6 months old, W. Washington, Granville, dip.
Bay Colt, 1 year old, Marcus Erwin, Orange, dip.

*Match Horses.*

One pair Horses, H. L. Hazell, Graham, 1st premium, 10
One pair Gray Horses, R. M. Young, Granville, 2d premium, 5

*Single Harness Horses.*

Buggy Horse, 5 years old, W. Barford, Oxford, 1st premium, 5
Buggy Horse, (Bay,) 6 years old, J. L. Jones, Granville, dip.
Buggy Horse, (Sorrel,) W. H Hughes, Granville, dip.

*Saddle Horses.*

Saddle Horse, J. W. Lewis, Milton, 1st premium, 5
Saddle Horse, S. G. Hayes, Granville, dip.

*Jacks and Jennets.*

Jack, 8 years old, Rufus Jones, Wake, 1st premium, 10
Jack, 8 years old, D. McDaniel, Nash, 2d premium, 5
Jack, 3 years old, S. H. Cannady, Granville, 3d premium, 5
Jennet, 6 years old, S. O'Bryant, Roxboro', 1st premium. 10
Jennet, 2 years old Sol. O'Bryant, Roxboro', 2d premium. 5

*Mules.*

Mule, 2 years old, J. R. Mason, Northampton, 1st premium. 5
Mule, 27 months old, J. M. Brewer, Forestville, dip.

*Durhams and Grades.*

Durham Bull, 5 years old, J. Hutchins, Raleigh, 1st premium, 10
Durham Grade, 18 months old, Wm. Russell, Caswell, 1st premium, 5
Durham Grade, 18 months old, Wm. Russell, Caswell, 2d premium, dip.
Milch Cow, "Dutchess," 7 years old, Mrs. E. L. Taylor, Raleigh, 1st premium, 10
Milch Cow, "Kentucky," 5 years old, W. T. Dortch, Wayne, 2d premium, 5
Heifer, (grade,) 3 years old, D. McDaniel, Nash, 1st premium, 5
Heifer, (grade,) 18 months old, Wm. Russell, Caswell, dip.
Heifer, (grade,) 5 months old, William Russell, Caswell, premium, 5

*Devons and Grades.*

Devon Cow, 9 years old, S. Smith, Raleigh, 1st premium, $10
N. & S. Devon Cow, 5 years old, D. McDaniel, Nash, 2d premium, 5
Heifer, 2 years old, D. McDaniel, Nash, 1st premium, 5
Heifer, 15 months old, Dr. Wm. R Holt, Davidson, 2d premium, dip.
Calf, 12 months old, Dr Wm. R. Holt, Davidson, 1st premium, 5
Calf, 12 months old, D. Wm. R. Holt, Davidson, 3d, premium, dip.
Bull, T. W. Battle, Edgecombe, 1st premium, 10
Bull, 2 years old, D. McDaniel, Nash, 1st premium, 5
Bull, 2 years old, T. W. Battle, Edgecombe, 2d premium, dip
Bull, (Devon,) 3 years old, D. McDaniel, Nash, 2d premium, dip.
Bull, (Devon and Durham,) 3 years old, Wm. Russel, Caswell, 1st premium, 5
Second grade Bull, 6 months old' T. W. Battle, Edgecombe, 1st premium, 5
One Bull, Calf, 15 months old, Dr. Wm. R. Holt, Davidson, 1st premium, 5
One Bull, Calf, 1 year old, Dr. W. R. Holt, Davidson, 2d premium. dip.

*Ayreshires, Alderneys, &c.*

1 Ayreshire Cow, 5 years old, D. McDaniel, Nash, 1st premium, 10

*Native Cattle.*

Heifer, 16 months old, T. P. Devereux, Raleigh, 1st premium, 5
Cow, "Mag," 5 years old, Mrs. E. L. Taylor, Raleigh, 1st premium, 5
Black and White Cow, 4 years old. T. P. Devereux, Raleigh, 2d premium, dip.
Bull, 4 years old, W. M. Jones, Raleigh, 1st. premium, 5

*Working Oxen.*

One Yoke Working Oxen, 6 years old, Wm. Russell, Caswell, 1st premium, 5
Two Yokes Working Oxen, 4 and 7 years old, Mrs. E. P. Jones, Wake, dip.
One Yoke Working Oxen, 6 years old, Seth Jones, Wake, dip.

*Fat Cattle.*

1 Yoke Devon Oxen, 4 years old, Dr. W. R. Holt, Davidson, 1st premum, 10

*Milch Cows.*

1 Devon and Durham Cow, 5 years old, D. McDaniel, Nash, 1st premium, 10
Durham Cow, "Bettie Bliss," 4 years old, Mrs. E. L. Taylor, Raleigh, 2d premium, 5
1 Cow, "Nicy," 3 years old, D. McDaniel, Nash dip

*Sheep.*

1 Pen of Lambs, R. A. Jenkins, Williamsboro', 1st premium, 5
Pen of Lambs, Seth Jones, Wake, dip.
1 Buck, 3 years old, H. McLean, Cumberland, 1st premium, 5
1 Buck, 18 months old, R. A. Jenkins, Williamsboro, 2d premium, dip.

*Swine.*

Chester Boar, 2 years old, Jere. Nixon, Raleigh, 1st premium, 5
Chester Boar, 7 mo's old, P. Mitchell, Warren, 1st premium, 5
Native Boar, 2½ years old, J. J. Cannaday, Wayne, 1st premium, 5
3 China Pigs, 3 mo's old, H. McLean, Cumberland, 1st premium, 5
Suffolk Sow, 6 mo's old, T. D. Meares, Brunswick, 1st premium, 5
Sow and Pigs under 2 years old, J. Moss, Raleigh, 1st premium, 5
Sow and Pigs over 2 years old, W. H. Williams, Franklin, 1st premium, 5
Large Hog, W. H Williams, Franklin, pre. 3
Large Hog, L. D. Howell, Wayne, pre. 3

*Poultry.*

4 Coops Brahma Pootras, J. C. Partridge, Raleigh, 1st premium, 3
Trio Buff Shanghaes, W. Whitaker, jr. Raleigh, 1st premium, 3
Trio White Shanghaes, W. Whitaker, jr. Raleigh, 1st premium, 3
Gray Shanghaes, A. Alden, Cumberland, 1st premium, 3
Black Shanghaes, J. C. Partridge, Raleigh, 1st premium, 3
Black Shanghaes, Mrs. Jere. Nixon, Raleigh, 2d premium, Farmer's Journal.
Trio Game Fowls, J. H. Avent, Nash, 1st premium, 3
3 Coops Game Fowls, J. J. Williamson, Raleigh, 2d premium, Farmer's Journal.
1 Coop China Knobed Geese, J. A. Bullock, Granville, 1st premium. 3
1 Wild Turkey Cock, Wm. Crudup, Granville, 1st premium, 3
1 Coop Golden Seabrights, J. C. Partridge, Raleigh, 1st premium, 3
1 Coop Silver Seabrights, J. C. Partridge, Raleigh, 1st premium, 3
1 Coop Golden Hamburgs, J. C. Partridge, Raleigh, 1st premium, 3
1 Coop Siberian Bantams, J. C. Partridge, Raleigh, 1st premium, 3
1 Coop Bantams, Masters John H. and Wm. Jones, Raleigh, Farmer's Journal.
Trio Ducks, W. H. Scott, Raleigh, 1st premium, 3
1 pair Ducks, E. Hall, Raleigh, 2d premium, F. J.
1 Coop Buff Shanghaes, J. C. Partridge, Raleigh, 2d premium, Farmer's Journal.
3 Hoang Ho Fowls, Geo. Whiting, Raleigh, 1st premium, 3
Lot of Speckled Dorkings, D. McDaniel, Nash, 1st premium, 3
1 Pair Turkeys, (Cross,) Mrs. Josiah Crudup, Granville, 3
2 Coops Cochin Chinas, Mrs. S. S. Royster, Granville, 1st premium, 3
1 Coop Capon Chickens, J. F. Taylor, Raleigh, 3
1 pair Poland Ducks, Mrs. J. B. G. Roulhac, do 3
For largest and best variety of Poultry, J. C. Partridge, Raleigh, 5

*Agricultural Productions.*

Indian Corn, R. H. Smith, Halifax, pre. 2
Black field Peas, " " " 2
Iverson's Rescue Grass, E. Hall, Wake, premium, 2
Sample White Wheat, W. R. Holt, Davidson, premium, 2
6 Pumpkins, Jas. Kirkpatrick, Wake, premium, 2
12 White Sugar Beets, Jas. Kirkpatrick, Wake, premium, 2
1 Bag Rough Rice, W. H. Burgwyn, pre. 2
1 Lot Turnips, J. A. McMannen, pre. 2
1 Bbl, Irish Potatoes, Dr. Geo. Field, Warren, premium, 2

*Agricultural Implements.*

3 Tooth Guage Plow, Ch. H. Drury, Baltimore, premium, 5
3 Steel Point Cultivators, Borum and McLean, Norfolk, 5
1 Subsoil Plow, W. B. Williams & Co., Warren. 5
1 Cotton Plow, do 5
1 Single Horse Plow, and plowing, K. Wainwright & Co., Oxford, 5
1 Peekskill Double Plow, C. H. Richmond, Milton, 5
1 Double Imp. H. Side Plow, and Plowing, Mott, Lewis & Wilson, Richmond, 5
2 Cast Expanding Cultivators, Mott, Lewis & Wilson, Richmond, dip.
1 Jumping Coulter Plow, R. A. Jenkins, Granville, dip.
1 Field Roller, C. H. Drury, Baltimore, 5
1 Shifting Harrow, Sinclair & Com., " 5
1 Clod Roller Serrated' " " 5
1 Brace's Grain Cradle, " " 5
1 No. 19 1-2 Plow, Seth Marsh, Norfolk, dip.
1 No 20 two-horse Plow, Seth Marsh, Norfolk, dip.
1 No 1 Plow and Cultivator, J. H. Gooch, Granville, dip.

*Farm and Pleasure Vehicles.*

1 Two-horse Wagon, G. W. Simpson, Caswell, dip.
1 Close Carriage, Pier & Brannin, Fayetteville, $25
Dibble and Brothers, of Kinston, exhibited a very fine Carriage and Buggy which came in too late for competition.

*Hand Power Machinery.*

1 Rockaway Wheat Fan, J. Montgomery & Co., Baltimore, 5
1 Mott's Improved Wheat Fan, Mott, Lewis & Wilson, Richmond, dip.
1 Gilbert's Wheat Fan, C. Burnet, Henderson, 5
1 Straw Cutter, Stafford, Clark & Dixon, Alamance, 5
1 Single Spout Corn Sheller, Mott, Lewis & Wilson, Richmond, 5
1 Patent Churn, E. S. Gaylord, Oxford. 5
2 Hominy Mills, Borum & McLean, Norfolk, dip.
1 Sausage Stuffer, Borum & McLean, Norfolk, dip.
1 Garden Engine, J. Woltering, Wake, 5
1 Farm Gate, C. H. Richmond, Milton, 5
4 Bench Planes, W. H. Morning, Johnston, dip.
1 Spout Double Sheller, R. Sinclair, Baltimore, dip.
1 Merrimans Hay and Cotton Press, R. Sinclair, Baltimore, 10
1 Corn Planter, R. Sinclair, Baltimore, 5
1 Wheat Drill, do do 5
1 Smut Machine, J. McMannin, South Lowell, 5
1 Circular Saw, A. C. Lee, Raleigh, 3

*Horse and Steam Power Machinery.*

Horse Power Grist Mill, C. H. Drury, Baltimore, 10
2 Horse-power for heavy work, Sinclair & Co., Baltimore, 10
Light Sweep Horse Power, Stafford, Clark & Dixon, 10
1 Threshing Machine, Sinclair & Co., Baltimore, 10
1 Broadcast and Drilling Machine, R. Sinclair & Co., Baltimore, 10
Corn and Cob Crusher, A. M. Rockwell, Baltimore, 5
Best Cotton Gin, (Parkhurst's Patent Cylinder,) L. W. Abbott, Agent, Conn. 10

*Saddlery, Harness and Leather.*

1 Saddle, C. Marable, Williamsboro', 5
1 Set Buggy Harness, George Fisher, Wake, 5
1 Set Double Harness, Hardy Harriss, Henderson, dip.
1 Saddle, H. Harriss, Henderson, dip.
1 Lot Leather, W. F. Hilliard, Franklin, 5
1 Side Skirting Leather, Gunn & Bow, Caswell, dip.
1 Side Sole Leather, O. L. Evans, St. Lawrence, dip.

*Cabinet Work.*

6 Parlor Chairs, H. J. Brown, Raleigh, 2.50
1 Dressing Bureau, W. H. Morning, Smithfield, 5
1 Dressing Bureau, H. J. Brown, Raleigh, dip.
1 Shower Bath, H. W. Howze, Raleigh, 2.50

*Boots, Shoes and Hats.*

2 Gents Straw Hats, Miss Amanda Lewis, Granville, 3
1 Capts. Navy Cap, W. R. Dail, Portsmouth, dip.
6 Plantation W. Hats, do do 3
3 Gents Silk Hats, do do 3
1 pair Pink Gaiters, Mrs. A. Thacker, Williamsboro', dip.
1 pair childs Opera Boots, C. B. Moore, Raleigh, dip.
8 Wool Hats, C. B. Andrews, Chatham, 3
1 Child's Hat, Miss A. Walsh, Raleigh, dip.
Children's Palm Leaf and Straw Hats, Mrs. W. H. Morning, Smithfield, 3
1 Child's Hat, Cornelia Lawrence, Oxford, dip.
6 Wool Hats, W. B. Dail, Portsmouth, dip.
1 Pine Bur Hat, Mrs. Mary Bryan, Henderson, dip.
1 pair Alligator Shoes, T. S. D. McDowell, dip.
2 pair Gaiters, Mrs. T. A. Mosley, Granville, dip.
2 pair Walking Shoes, J. F. Taylor, F. Jour.

*Hardware, Stoneware, &c.*

Lot of purified Stone Ware, W. W. Craven, Moffit's Mills, 3
Lot of Hones, P. S. Benbow, Lindley's Store, dip.
Lot of Augers, M. F. C. Iddings, Mt. Vernon Springs, 3
1 Turpentine Still, Cap, Arm and Worm, Jos. Woltering, Raleigh, 10
1 Case of Hardware, &c., J. Woltering, do. 5
Lot of Smith's Tools, Stafford, Clark & Dixon, Snow Camp, dip.
Sash Lock, (Arnold's,) Wm. Cole, agent, Raleigh, dip.
1 Rat Trap, Albert Johnson, Raleigh, dip.
1 Oak Barrel, W. M. Chauncey, Averasboro', dip.
1 Oak Barrel, R. S. Perry, Raleigh, dip.
7 Guns and Pistols, J. S. Baker, Fayetteville, 5
1 Rifle, James Brandel, Salem, dip.
Lot of Tools, L. & W. R. Whitfield, Whitehall, 3

*Flour.*

1 Bbl Flour, W. F. Collins, Wake, pre. 5
1 Bbl Flour, Jas. Brendel, Salem, 2d pre. dip.

*Tobacco.*

Smoking Tobacco, Lash & Bro. Salem, 1st premium, 3
Cigars, Lash & Bro. Salem, 1st pre. 5
Chewing Tobacco, Y. & E. P. Jones, Yanceyville, 1st premium, 5
Chewing Tobacco, W. & J. D. Long, Yanceyville, 2d premium, dip.

*Dairy, Hams, Honey, &c.*

Two Casks of Caswell Co. Cheeses, Will. Russell, Caswell, 1st premium, 3
1 Firkin Butter, Will. Russell, Caswell, 1st premium, 3
1 Jar Fresh Butter, Mrs. Louisa Holt, 1st premium, 3
1 Jar Fresh Buttor, Mrs. W. O. Gregory, 2d premium, dip.
1 Jar Fresh Butter, Mrs. Martha W. Rowland, dip.
Loaf Bread and Rolls, Mrs. W. O. Gregory, 1st premium, dip.
2 Loaves Bread, Mrs. P. C. Cameron, 2d pre. dip.
4 Bacon Hams, Henry Elliott, 1st pre. 5
1 Specimen Beeswax Bleached, Mrs. Jno. Partridge, premium, 3

*Yarn and Manufactured Goods.*

1 Box Tallow Candles, C. C. Rhodes, Wilmington, 1st premium, 3
1 Box Tallow Candles, W. H. Morning, Smithfield, dip.
1 Lot Sheetings, Cedar Falls Factory, Randolph co., 1st premium, 3
1 Piece of 4-4 Sheetings, J. Newlin & Sons, dip.
1 Lot Twine, Cedar Falls Factory, Randolph, 3
3 Bunches Cotton Yarn, G. Newlin & Sons, 1st premium, 3
1 Lot Cotton Yarn, Cedar Falls Factory, Randolph co., dip.
3 Pieces Doeskin Jeans, Shields & Nelson, 1st premium, 3
Vesting, 2 Paterns, Mrs. R. A. Shultz, Salem, 1st premium, 3
1 Piece Home-made Cloth, Mrs. R. A. Shultz, Salem, 1st premium. 3

*Household Manufactures.*

1 Piece Domestic Overcoating, Miss M. Acock, Forestville, 3
1 Pair of Ladies' Cotton Hose, Miss Phebe Anderson, Garysburg, 1
1 National Flag, Mrs. R. Judkins, Warrenton, dip.
1 Piece Cotton and Woolen Jeans, Mrs. Rebecca Coxe, Granville, 3
1 Pair Table Cloths, Mrs. Rebecca Coxe, Granville, dip.
1 Pair Woolen Socks, Mrs. Rebecca Coxe, Granville, dip.
1 Piece Carpeting, Mrs. Philemon Hawkins, Louisburg, dip.
1 Piece Plaid Linsey, Alex. Cooper, Oxford, 3
1 Domestic Carpet, Mrs. M. S. Burwell, Franklin Co., 3
1 Pair of Stockings, Mrs. Will. Baird, Person County, dip.
1 Toilet Valance, Mrs. L. Mitchell, Raleigh, dip.
1 Pair Blankets, Mrs. R. A. Shultz, Salem, dip.
Sheepskin Rug, do. do. do. dip.
Masonic Apron, H. W. Dunkley, Clarksville, Mecklenburg Co. Va., dip.
1 Bed Valance, Mrs. E. Heathcock, Roxboro, dip.
1 Piece Woolen Negro Cloth, A. J. Myat, Wake, dip.
1 Pair Blankets, Mrs. Mary Marriott, Wake, dip.
1 Pair Silk Socks, Mrs. Lucy Savage, Wake, 3
1 Pair Blankets, Old North State Manf. Company, 3
1 Worsted Hearth Rug, Mrs. F. B. Field, Warren, 1st premium, 3
1 Pair Ottomans, Miss N. Johnson, Caswell, dip.
1 Hearth Rug, Mrs. A. Arendell, Louisburg, dip.

*Needle Work and Embrodery.*

1 Embroidered Crape Dress, Miss Susan J. Maxwell, Petersburg. $3.
1 Worked Collar, Miss E. Venable, Brownsville 3
1 Ottoman cover, Miss L. M. Murphy, Clinton. 3
1 Embroidered Vest, Miss S. E. Rhodes " 3
1 Box Needle work, Miss M. J. Lucas Fayetteville' 3
Tapestry, Miss H. Hammerscholdt, Lincolnton, 3
Fire Screen, Miss Lucy F. Bagge, Salem. 3
21 Worsted Mats, Mary E. Royster, Williamsboro. 3
1 Table Cover, Miss E. N. Williams, Oxford. 3
1 Piano Cover, Miss H. Ferrel, Halifax 3
1 Rug, Miss S. A. Reid, Montgomery 3
1 Mantle and Cape, Miss L. A. E. Hunt, Wake. 3
1 Divan Cover, Mrs. A. E. Mosely, Brownsville. 3
Largest and best variety fancy work, Clinton Institute, Sampson Co., 3
2 pair Ladies' Gaiters, Mrs A. E. Mosely, Brownsville. 3
Fine Needle Work, Miss A. F. DuPree, Wilmington. 3
2 Fancy Chairs, Miss Sallie Hinton, Raleigh, 3
1 child's Sack and dress, Mrs A. E. Williams, dip
1 Cape and Handkerchief, Mrs. S. A. Eaton, Granville, dip
1 Emb. Table Cover, Fanny A. Perry, Franklinton, dip.
1 Piano Cover, Annie Winston, Franklinton, dip.
1 Lamp Mat, Sally J. S. Reavis, Granville, dip.
1 Worked Collar, S. A., Phillips, Clinton, dip.
1 Ottoman Cover, Charlotte Beaman, " dip.
1 Watch Receiver, R. H. McIntyre " dip.
1 Worsted Ottoman, Mrs. Julia Graves, " dip.
1 Collar, Euphemia Nixon, " dip.
1 pair Cuffs, M. A. Holton, " dip.
1 Ottoman Cover, Mary Hunter, " dip.
1 Emb. Handkercheif, R. J. Middleton, " dip.
1 do Miss Holt, " dip
1 Piano Cover, Charlotte Beaman, " dip.
1 Embroidered Handkerchief and 2 Collars, Miss S. A. Partridge Raleigh, dip.
1 Child's frock Mantelet and Sack, Mrs R. A. Hamilton, Granville, dip.
1 Silk Mantelet, Mrs Mary Roan, Raleigh, dip.
2 Collars, Miss Slade, dip.
3 Worked Collars, Mrs Mary A. Payne, Lexington, dip.
1 Infant's Dress, E. B. Deming, Fayetteville, dip.
2 Ottoman Covers, M. & E. L. Piper, dip.
1 Ladies Collar, E. Robinson, Raleigh, dip.
1 Band, needle work, Mary St. C. Cooke, dip.
1 Lamp Mat. Miss Ella Moses, Raleigh, dip.
2 Head Dresses, Jane S. Moses, dip.
1 White Bonnet, Edith A. Vernon, Yanceyville, d.pi
Child's Sack, Dress and Panteletts, Eliza Graves, Yanceyville, dip.
1 Piece Worsted Work, Miss H. Murphy, 3 do. H. M. Black, dip.
1 Emb. Ottoman Cover, Matilda Conner, Yanceyville, dip.
1 Fire Screen, Lucy A. Bagge, Salem dip.
1 Tettin Collar, Mrs Jno. Smith, Smithfield, dip.
1 Lamp Mat, Mrs. A. C. Harris, Henderson, dip.
1 Embroidered Cape, Ellen Colburn, Raleigh, dip.
1 Worked Dress, Jane Connalt, dip.
1 Table Cover, Mary Jane Thompson, Fayetteville, dip.
1 Child's Dress, Mrs. E. A. Jones, dip.
1 do Susan A. Tate, Franklin, dip.
1 pair Mats, Miss H. Harding, Raleigh, dip.
1 Emb. Cape, Cornelia Lawrence, dip
Undersleeves, Handkerchiefs &c. Ann Walton, Henderson, dip.
1 pair Undersleaves, Mrs. W. H. Hughes, Granville, dip.
1 Piano Cover, Miss Virginia Landis, Oxford, dip.
1 Emb. Ottoman Cover, Mary L. Haughton, Pittsboro', dip.
1 Emb. Ottoman Cover, M. C. Haughton, Pittsboro', dip.
1 Emb. Skirt, M. A. Haughton, Pittsboro', dip.
1 Emb. Table Cover, M. A. Haughton, Pitts. dip.
1 do M. L. Deming, do dip.
1 Infant's Dress, Mrs. L. J. Haughton, do diip
1 Muslin Dress, Sally N. Ruffin, Alamance, dip.
Needle Work, Ellen A. Peace, Granville, dip.
1 Childs' Dress, Mrs. Wm. Baird, Person, dip.
Emb. Dress and Sack, Miss E. Freeman, Raleigh, dip.
1 Child's Cape, Mrs. I. Procter, do dip.
1 Emb. Collar, Miss A. K. Kearney, Warren, dip.
1 Needle Work Band, Mrs. Mary Graves, Caswell, dip.
1 pair Emb. Ottoman, Mrs. Nash, 71 years of age, Orange, dip.
Emb. H'd'k'f, Cap, and Lace work, Mrs. T. P. Devereux, Raleigh, dip.
1 Band Needle work, Mrs. Dr. Jno. Arrington, Warren, dip.
1 Bird and flower piece, Mary DeCarteret, Raleigh, dip.
1 Worked Robe, Miss Ann K. Kearney, Warren, dip.
1 Table Cover, M. E. Harriss, dip.
1 Silk H'd'f, Lucy Savage. dip.

*Crochet Work, Counterpanes and Quilts,*

1 Crochet Tidy, of thread, Miss Maria E. Cooke, Raleigh, 1st premium, 3
Set of Crochet Mats, Miss S. Turner, Oakland, 2nd premium, dip.
1 Transfer Quilt, Mrs. Jno. D. Fain, Warrenton, 1st premium, 3
1 Transfer Quilt, Mrs. W. H. Haywood, Raleigh, 2nd premium, dip.
1 Patch Work Quilt, Miss Lucinda Briggs, Raleigh, 1st premium, 3
1 Patch Work Quilt, Mrs. Wm. B. Crews, Granville, 2nd, premium, dip.
1 Tufted Quilt, Mrs. Wm. K. Kearney, Warrenton, 1st premium, 3
1 Tufted Quilt, Mrs. N. Turner, Oakland, 2nd premium, dip.
1 Silk Quilt, Mrs. Kenneth Rayner, Hertford, 1st premium, 3
1 Silk Quilt, Mrs. W. H. Oliver, Craven, 2nd premium, dip.
Worsted Counterpane, Mrs. Philemon Hawkins, Louisburg, 1st premium, 3
Worsted Counterpane, Miss E. F. Cox, Granville, 2nd premium, dip.
1 Moss Counterpane, Mrs. E. Mitchell, Warrenton, 1st premium, 3
1 White Stuffed Counterpane, Mrs. L. H. Hunter, Brinkleysville, 1st premium, 3
1 Knitted Counterpane, Miss Willie Hinton & sister, Johnston, 1st premium, 3
1 Embroidered Counterpane, Mrs. Bass, Raleigh, 1st premium, 3

*Paper, Printing, &c.*

8 Specimens of Book Printing, Office of Southern Weekly Post, Raleigh, 1st premium, 3
2 Specimens of Book Printing, J. W. Chadwick, Raleigh, 2nd premium, dip.
Specimens Printing in Colors, Office of Southern Weekly Post, Raleigh, 1st premium, 3
Specimens Printing in Gold, Office of Southern Weekly Post, Raleigh, dip.
Specimens Rule and Figure Work, office of Southern Weekly Post, Raleigh, dip.
Specimens Card Printing, Office of Southern Weekly Post, Raleigh, 1st premium, 3
Specimens Printing for the Blind, Office of Southern Weekly Post, (deserves great credit,) dip.
Specimens Card Printing in colors, Jno. Nichols, an apprentice in office of S. W. P., very fine, worthy of commendation, 1st premium, 3
Specimens Book Binding, T. H. Tillinghast, Fayetteville, 1st premium, 3
Specimens Book Binding, J. H. DeCarteret & Son, Raleigh, 2nd premium, dip.
Specimen of Newspaper, S. W. Post, in colors, Raleigh, dip.

*Works of Art and Taste.*

1 Family Hair Wreath and Leather Frame, Mrs. Wm. D. Cooke, Raleigh, 1st premium, 3
1 Fruit-Piece, Mrs. Luke C. Graves, Clinton, 1st premium, 3
1 Papermache Port Folio, Miss O. A. Burke, Warrenton, 1st premium, 3
1 Papiermache Piece, Miss Mary Huntley, Clinton, 2d premium, dip.
1 Bunch Feather Flowers, Mrs. R. A. Shultz, Salem, 1st premium, 3
2 Plumes, Mrs. E. A. Jordan, Sunsbury, 2d premium, dip.
1 Bonnet and Hat, (mohair,) Mrs. Cunningham, Salisbury, 1st premium, 3
1 Hair Wreath, (domestic) Mrs. R. A. Shultz, Salem, 1st premium, 3
1 Leather Frame, (domestic) Mrs. S. A. Burke, Warrenton, 1st, premium, 3
Wax Flowers, Mrs. E. B. W. Graves, Warrenton, 1st premium, 3
Wax Flowers, Miss Laura E. Newkirk, Clinton, 2d premium, dip
Wax Flowers, Miss Caroline M. Pew, Clinton, dip
do. Miss Mary E. Ireland, do. dip
Basket Pincushion, Miss Annie Walsh, Raleigh, dip.
1 Knitting Pocket, Mrs. M. B. Roan, Yanceyville, dip.
Case of Cameos, Mrs. Dr. Mason, Raleigh, 1st pre. 3
Fine Specimens of Confectionaries, Antonio Pizzini, Raleigh, 1st premium, 3
Leather Key Basket, — Spraggins, Raleigh, dip.

*Miscellaneous.*

1 Block Soap Stone, White Soap Stone Co., Pharr's Mills, dip.
1 Box Gold Ore, A. B. Stith, Raleigh, dip.
Artificial Teeth, Gold Plate, Dr. Carr, Wilm'ton, } do with continuous gums, } 5
1 Box Copper Ore, Gardner's Mines, Davidson, dip.
½ doz. Brooms, W. D. Cooke, Raleigh, 3
Model Schooner, (Jas. Cassidy, builder,) T. J. Norcom, Wilmington, dip. & 3
1 piece Felt Saddle Blankets, C. B. Andrews, dip.

*Wines.*

1 doz. bot. Catawba Wine, D. M. Lewis, 1st. pre. 3

*Trotting Match.*

Sorrel Horse, J. B. Askew, Fayetteville, 1st premium, 10
Horse, Charles, W. H. Holleman, Raleigh, 2d premium, 5

### IS FRIDAY AN UNLUCKY DAY?

From time immemorial, Friday has been frowned upon as a day of ill omen. And though this prejudice is less prevalent now than it has been of yore, when superstition had general sway, yet there are many even in this matter-of-fact age of ours, who would hesitate, on a day so suspicious, to begin an undertaking of momentous import. And how many brave mariners, whose hearts unquailing could meet the wildest fury of their ocean home, would blanch to even bend their sails on Friday! But to show with how much reason this feeling is indulged, let us examine the following important facts in connection with our new settlement and greatness as a nation, and we will see how little cause we Americans have to dread the fatal day:

On Friday, August 21, 1492, Christopher Columbus sailed on his great voyage of discovery.

On Friday, October 11, 1492, he first discovered land.

On Friday, January 4, 1493, he sailed on his return to Spain, which, if he had not reached in safety, the happy result would never have been known which led to the settlement of this vast continent.

On Friday, March 15, 1493, he arrived at Palos in safety.

On Friday, June 22d, 1494, he, though unknown to himself, discovered the continent of America.

On Friday, March 5, 1496, Henry VII. of England, gave to John Cabot his commission which led to the discovery of North America. This was the first American State paper in England.

On Friday, September 7, 1565, Melendez founded St. Augustine, the oldest town in the United States by more than 40 years.

On Friday, Nov. 10, 1620, the May Flower, with the pilgrims, made the harbor of Provinceton. And on the same day they signed that august compact, the forerunner of our present glorious Constitution.

On Friday, December 22, 1620, the Pilgrims made their final landing at Plymouth Rock.

On Friday, Feb. 22, George Washington, the Father of American Freedom, was born.

On Friday, June 16, Bunker Hill was seized and fortified.

On Friday, October 7, 1777, the surrender of Saratoga was made, which had such power and influence in inducing France to declare for our cause.

On Friday, September 25, 1780, the treason of Arnold was laid bare, which saved us from destruction.

On Friday, October 10, 1781, the surrender of Yorktown, the crowning glory of the American arms, occurred.

On Friday, July 4, 1776, the motion in Congress was made by John Adams, seconded by Richard Henry Lee, that the United States Colonies were, and of right ought to be, Free and Independent.

Thus, by numerous examples, we see, that however it may be with other nations, Americans need never dread to begin on Friday any undertaking, however momentous it may be.

*Weekly Leader.*

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The Galveston (Texas) News, in a long review of the prospects of the present cotton crop of that State, comes to the conclusion that there will not be over two-thirds of an average crop. The News says:

"The amount of land planted in Texas is supposed to be nearly one-third more than last year, and it is possible that this excess may make up for the deficiency in the yield, so as to make the total crop of the State about what it was last year. Our present opinion, however, is, that the total crop of the State will fall short of that of last year.

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A "FAST" MARRIAGE. A marriage was celebrated "on board" the cars of the Waterton and Rome (N. Y.) Railroad, on the 18th instant. Elder Judd, one of the passengers, acted as interpreter. The bridegroom was Johannes Scheilel, and the bride, Miss Magdalena Blau, both of Germany. The passengers made up a purse, which was presented to the happy couple. This is decidedly the *fastest* marriage we have heard of.


# The Standard.

RALEIGH, WEDNESDAY, NOV. 1, 1854.


### PROCLAMATION

*By his Excellency,* DAVID S. REID, *Governor of the State of North Carolina:*

In pursuance of a Resolution passed by the General Assembly, at the Session of 1848-'49, I do, by this my Proclamation, set apart the last Thursday in November next, being the 23d day of the month, to be observed *as a day of solemn and public Thanksgiving.*

On that day, I recommend that all secular employments be suspended; that Ministers of the Gospel of the respective denominations assemble their congregations for public worship; that the People of the State unite in giving thanks to Almighty God for past blessings, and supplicate a continuance of his goodness and mercy, especially for the advancement of virtue and religion, and for the perpetuity of civil and religious liberty.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of [L.S.] North Carolina, at the Executive Office, in Raleigh, on the 30th day of October, A.D. 1854.

DAVID S. REID.

(By the Governor,)
SAML. F. ADAMS, Jr., *Private Sec.*

### TO THE PUBLIC.

In accordance with the arrangement heretofore announced, I have the pleasure to-day of introducing to the friends and patrons of the Standard, FRANK. I. WILSON, Esq., as Associate Editor and business partner in the establishment. Mr. Wilson is well known to the Democracy of the State, having been heretofore prominently connected with the Democratic press, and having established an enviable reputation as a writer. I feel confident that his connection with the Standard will be of benefit to it, and of much service to the Democratic cause; and that the intercourse between him and the readers and friends of the paper, will be as agreeable to them as his association in the Editorship is gratifying to me.

The course of the Standard, it is scarcely necessary to add, will be the same. Principles first, organization next, men last—this is the rule by which the paper has been heretofore, and will be hereafter guided. For myself, whatever errors I may have committed, or may commit, I ask only at the hands of my friends the concession of honest intents; and to those friends I take this occasion to renew expressions of thanks and gratitude for former support and confidence. W. W. HOLDEN.

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The above announcement leaves but little for me to say by way of an introductory. My connection with the Standard is not so much for the shedding abroad of my own light, as for removing the bushel of business from the editorial lamp of the principal editor, that he may be enabled to emit more brilliant and more penetrating rays of Democracy. As business partner in the establishment I shall probably have but little time for editorial lucubrations; but whatever I may desire to say I shall say without fear, favor or affection.

In these days of rampant *isms*, when even the hearts of some of the heretofore faithful seem inclined to forsake the true paths of Democracy to go in search of the "strange gods" of Federalism, under some one of its thousand appellations, I believe the only safe course is to follow the old landmarks, the well beaten paths, which have so far brought peace and prosperity, honor and glory to our beloved Republic, and placed us in the front ranks of the nations of the earth. Believing this, I shall steadily oppose the new fangled *isms* of the day, proud to reflect that our country is the only home of the wanderer, the only asylum of the oppressed, and that wherever the name of *Liberty* is named, there the heart turns fondly, and the eye with longing, to the young Republic of the West.

As a Democrat and as a patriot, I desire the perpetuity of our Union, and I desire that the North and the South, the East and the West, shall come together as children of the same family, and sit down and enjoy the blessings bequeathed us by our sires; but at the same time I cannot close my eyes to the painful truth, that fanaticism and a reckless disregard for the rights of the South are fast weakening, and threatening to sever the bonds that have thus far united us. As long as this Union is worth preserving it has no truer friend than myself; when it becomes worthless or oppressive it will have no deadlier foe.

In renewing my connection with the press, I embrace the opportunity to again extend the friendly editorial hand to my brethren, assuring them that it is my desire, no matter in what particulars we may differ politically, to cultivate friendly relations personally.

With the readers of the Standard I hope to become better acquainted, and trust that that acquaintance may prove mutually satisfactory.

FRANK. I. WILSON.

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### DEATH OF DR. W. R. SCOTT.

We record, with profound regret, the death of Dr. W. R. Scott, Sur

## THE YELLOW FEVER, SOUTH.

In Savannah, on Tuesday, there were 8 deaths, of which 5 were from Yellow Fever. On Wednesday there were two deaths, neither of which were by Yellow Fever.

In Augusta, on Thursday, there were 2 deaths by Yellow Fever.

The last Charleston Courier says:

"The weather yesterday was anything but pleasant, a dizzling rain having fallen at intervals throughout the day, and the thermometer having ranged from 62 to 67 degress, all of which, we fear, may possibly have an unfavorable influence upon the epidemic, notwithstanding we have the gratifying fact that there was no death from yellow fever for the twenty-four hours ending at nine o'clock last night. We, therefore, must again impress upon our absent friends the imprudence of their returning until they learn from undoubted authority that a destructive black frost has actually occurred."

There was but little sickness in New Orleans on the 26th, and the weather was fine.

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☞ We publish to-day a full list of the premiums awarded at the late State Fair held in this City. The Committee, we learn, had some difficulty in making out the list, owing to the confused and incorrect form in which some of the reports of the judges were made; and it is possible, under the circumstances, that some of the competitors for premiums will find cause for complaint. It must be borne in mind, however, that our people still lack experience in such matters; and that it is no easy task, in the midst of the hurry and excitement incident to such an occasion, to do exact justice to every one concerned.

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## LATE FROM EUROPE.

The steamship from Niagara brings European dates to the 14th October.

The bombardment of Sebastopol had commenced. The trenches of the allied troops were within sixteen hundred yards of Sebastopol, and were mounted with fifty guns. Prince Menschikoff, the Russian commander, was in possession of the field north of Sebastopol, awaiting reinforcements.

Prussia, it is stated, had agreed to act with Austria, who stands aloof.

The price of breadstuffs had advanced. No change in cotton, which was dull.

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## INDIANA CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION.

A friend in Indiana sends us the following as a correct list of the delegation to the next Congress from that State: *Union.*

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| First District— | Smith Miller, | old line democrat. |
| Second " | W. H. English, | old line democrat. |
| Third " | Geo. G. Dunn, | free-soil whig. |
| Fourth " | Wm. Cumback, | free-soil democrat. |
| Fifth " | D. P. Holloway, | free-soil whig. |
| Sixth " | Lucien Barbour, | free-soil democrat. |
| Seventh " | H. D. Scott, | free-soil whig. |
| Eighth " | Daniel Mace, | free-soil democrat. |
| Ninth " | S. Colfax, | free-soil whig. |
| Tenth " | S. Brenton, | free-soil whig. |
| Eleventh " | John U. Pettit, | free-soil democrat. |

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PUTNAM ON SLAVERY.—Mr. G. P. Putnam is industriously writing down his Magazine in the South. In the last number, he characterizes slavery in these words: "From its very nature it is a despotism of force, of law, and of opinion combined—partially mitigated in practice by humane personal considerations, but in theory absolute. It is administered, for the most part, by the whip; it is sanctioned by legislation; and it admits of no scrutiny or discussion. All that can be said of it, in the regions where it prevails, even by those most deeply interested in its results, must be said in its favor on pain of peremptory banishment or assassination." If all Northern periodicals would speak in this spirit, there would be some hope of a Southern literature. We are glad to learn from the booksellers here, that Putnam is rapidly vanishing from the market. The void should be supplied by the *Southern Quarterly Review*, the ablest periodical in the country.

*Rich. Enquirer.*

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☞ "*The Old North State in* 1776," is the title of a work lately issued by Rev. E. W. Caruthers, D. D. It contains Revolutionary Incidents and sketches of character chiefly in North Carolina, and is a book of interest and value.

Every effort to rescue from oblivion the characters and events of our revolutionary era, deserves encouragement. Dr. Caruthers' work may be obtained at Mr. Turner's Bookstore, and Mr. Pomeroy's.

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AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY. An Agricultural Society for New Hanover and Brunswick Counties was formed at Wilmington on Tuesday last. The following officers were appointed: Owen Fennell, President; Jos. M. Foy, John A. Taylor, Jas. E. Metts, Thomas D. Meares, Vice Presidents; G. J. McRee, Secretary; and S. R. Bunting, Treasurer.

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☞ *Rossiter's Paintings*, which are spoken of in terms of high commendation, will be exhibited here to-night, Tuesday, and Wednesday and Thursday evenings at the Town Hall. We have no doubt that those who may visit them will be much pleased.

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FIRE. We learn that the Store-house belonging to William H. Hood, Esq., of this County, with nearly all its contents was destroyed by fire on Thursday morning last. It appears that early in the morning a bed was discovered to be on fire, and in attempting to carry it out of the room, scattered the fire over the house. The loss amounted to about $4000.

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☞ The English papers contain stirring accounts of the battle of the Alma, between the allied troops and the Russians. The triumph of the former was brilliant and complete. We shall give some of these accounts from the London Times in our next.

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COUNTERFEIT N. C. NOTES. A man named Hudson, says the Richmond Enquirer, was arrested a few days since on the South-Side Railroad, and lodged in jail, for passing counterfeit notes. He had in his possession about $10,000 in counterfeit North Carolina notes.

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☞ Several Protestant citizens of Bangor, Maine, have presented the Rev. Mr. Bapst, the Roman Cathlic priest, who was lately so shamefully outraged at Ellsworth by an intolerant mob, with a valuable gold watch, as an evidence of their regret for the occurrence.

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☞ The question of a prohibitory law in relation to the sale of ardent spirits, was voted upon by the people of Pennsylvania at their late election. Prohibition was defeated by some three thousand majority.

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☞ The Wilmington and Raleigh Railroad Company has declared a dividend of *four* per cent. upon the capital stock for the last six months. This is a gratifying evidence of the prosperity of the Road.

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☞ A writer in the Wilmington Journal urges upon the Legislature the importance of establishing a "North Carolina Scientific and Military Academy."

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☞ The Democratic State Convention of Virginia will be held at Staunton on the 30th November. The election will take place next April.

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## COMMERCIAL CONVENTION.

WASHINGTON, N. C., Oct. 18, 1854.

Pursuant to a call issued on the 5th day of July last, a Convention was held at 12 o'clock this day in this town, to take into consideration the subject of improving the navigation at Ocracoke Bar and of the tributaries to Albemarle and Pamlico Sounds, and the propriety of procuring a charter from the Legislature of the State for a Mutual Marine Insurance Company in the town of Washington.

On motion of John Tayloe, John Blackwell, Esq., of Newbern, was appointed President, and E. J. Warren was appointed Secretary of the Convention.

The President addressed the Convention at length in explanation and advocacy of the objects for which it was assembled.

On motion, Col. Thompson, of Newbern, and Gen. Singeltary, Dr. Bryan and Messrs. Abert and Marsh, of Greenvile, were invited to participate in the action of the Convention.

The Convention adjourned to meet at 3 o'clock, P. M.

The Convention met pursuant to adjourment, and was again addressed by the President.

On motion of W. B. Rodman, Esq., the letter of invitation of July 5th was read by the Secretary.

On motion of Col. Tayloe, W. B. Rodman, B. F. Hanks and R. L. Myers, were appointed a committee to obtain statistics from the several counties interested in the objects of the Convention, and to prepare a memorial to Congress soliciting appropriations for the improvement of the navigation at Ocracoke Bar.

On motion of H. A. Gilliam, Esq., a committee of ten was appointed by the President to collect statistics and to memorialize the State Legislature (incorporating such statistics in their memorial) for appropriations for the improvement of the navigation of the rivers tributary to Pamlico and Albemarle Sounds.

The names of the Committee are:

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| JOHN MYERS, SAML R. FOWLE, | *Washington.* |
| H. A. FILLIAM, H. B. SHORT, | *Plymouth.* |
| W. W. GRIFFIN, WM. MESSENGER, | *Elizabeth City.* |
| R. T. PAINE, W. BADHAM, | *Edenton.* |
| W. G. BRYAN, W. M. JARVIS, | *Newbern.* |

On motion of R. L. Myers, Esq., the following gentlemen were appointed a committee to prepare a charter for a Mutual Marine Insurance Company in the town of Washington, with a clause empowering said Company to purchase and hold a steam tug or steam tugs for the use of the Company, and to procure the passage of the same by the Legislature: Joseph Potts, W. H. Willard, B. F. Havens, George H. Brown, W. Shaw, Jr., Jas. L. Fowle and Isaiah Respass.

The reading of the reports of committees heretofore appointed was dispensed with, and it was ordered that they be handed to the Secretary for publication with the proceedings of this Convention, and referred to the several committees now appointed.

The Convention was addressed by H. A. Gilliam, R. L. Myers, and W. B. Rodman Esqrs.

On motion of Jon Myers, Esq., the proceedings of this meeting were ordered to be forwarded to the different papers of the State with a request that they publish the same.

After a vote of thanks to the President and Secretary the Convention adjourned *sine die.*

JOHN BLACKWELL, *Pres't.*
E. J. WARREN, *Sect.*

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THE COTTON CROP. A "Merchant" has furnished the Mobile Register the following remarks of "one of the closest observers of the crops of the country":

"The opinions which I have several times expressed to you in respect to the forthcoming cotton crop of Alabama, are still unchanged. I understand there are a few very good crops on the Black Warrior, ten or fifteen miles from this place, but it is generally conceded that the crop on the low lands will not exceed two-thirds that of 1852 or 1853. On the sandy uplands I am sure it will not turn, off above one-half.

"The crops on the black, or lime lands, as they are familiarly called, are said to be more unequal than unusual. Some, very good, others very indifferent—the average falling quite below the crops of 1852 and 1853.

"A friend of mine, of reliable judgment, now planting in Marengo, has just returned from North Alabama, where he is well acquainted, reports the Cotton crop in the Tennessee Valley to be about two-thirds of last year, and says the corn crop is in proportion short.

"In Middle Alabama the forward corn has yielded a fair average, while that planted late has produced but little.

"I do not remember ever to have seen as many hogs in Alabama as at this time. The most of them will be slaughtered, though perhaps the scarcity of corn will prevent them from being fatted as well as they should be.

"Is it impossible that the incoming crop of the United States can exceed twenty-five hundred thousand bales? The loss from storms and heavy rains has been very great yet it is impossible to estimate this with any degree of exactness.

"The cotton would be less affected by a frost at this time than any previous year I remember to have observed. In 1851 the drought was partial, while contiguous districts and even plantations were visited by plentiful showers. In 1839, the spring and summer were unusually favorable—neither too wet nor too dry; and all the crops were unusually advanced and promising when the showers ceased about the middle of August. The remainder of the summer not being unusually warm, and the nights and days approximating equality of duration, the evaporation of the day did not so greatly exceed what was returned in the night. But the drought of this year was so serious in the Spring as to cause the crops to be about three weeks more backward than usual. It again commenced about the 10th of July, and the summer has been about the warmest I have ever felt throughout the United States, and the drought extenning almost over the entire area of our country. If an average crop is made this year, you may set it down that cotton is proof against heat and dry weather, rather courting both."

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PORK PROSPECTS. It is estimated there will be no falling off in quantity in this part of the country, though it is the general belief that the quality will not be as good as usual. The number of hogs in the country being much larger than ever before, and there being no corn to feed them vast quantities will be hurried into the market mast fatted. The price can hardly be guessed at—probably it will not be below $4. *Vincennes (Ind.) Gazette.*

Messrs. Sunderland & Co., have engaged two thousand still-fed hogs at $3 50 per hundred and have already killed and packed some 120 of them. From all that we can learn, hogs promise to be plenty here and all over the country, and prices fair but not exravagant. *Burlington Telegraph.*

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☞ Wm. S. Mullins, Esq., formerly of Fayetteville, N. C., is elected representative to the Legislature of South Carolina, from Marion District.

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*Later from California.*

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—The steamer George Law brings five hundred passengers and one million eighty thousand dollars in specie.

It is feared that an accident has happened to the steamer Sonora.

A party of fifty emigrants were murdered by the Apaches on the Colorado river, and seventy women and children carried off.

Another party of twenty-five emigrants perished on the road to California for want of water.

Two parties of Americans were attacked, their horses stolen, and one of them killed.

Mining operations prove successful. The Indian troubles have nearly ceased in the interior.

General good health prevailed.

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*The Outrage against Rev. Mr. Bapst.*

BANGOR, Oct. 26.—The grand jury at Ellsworth to-day found no bills of indictment against the persons engaged, or charged with being engaged, in the outrage upon the Rev. Mr. Bapst, the Catholic priest.

*Burning of Howard College.*

COLUMBIA, (S. C.) Oct. 26.—A letter dated Marion, October 16th, received here, says that Howard College has been destroyed by fire, and that twenty-two boys were greatly injured by jumping from the windows. Two are reported to be dead.

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**From our Washington Correspondents.**

*Dull Times—Elections—New York—Northern Democrats—Course of the Southern Whig Press.—Battle of the Alma and operations of the Allies in the Crimea—Sanders' letter to the French Republicans—No-Nothing Paper—Departure of Colonel Wheeler.*

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 28, 1854.

To jot down a running account of matters and things here during a session of Congress is comparatively an easy matter, compared with the industry required to pick up the necessary interesting items during a recess to give attraction to a Washington correspondence. Then, there is something new every day; Congress and the Executive Departments are in constant correspondence, and the reciprocal action of each is constantly presented to the public; debates are daily taking place that affect the interests of the whole country. Now, the Government proceeds quietly and calmly; the Departments are busily engaged preparing for Congress, getting together the estimates, preparing reports, and planning out the business for the next year, as well as summing up the business of the past.

Correspondents are scarce in Washington, because, forsooth, there is a scarcity of topics to write about; and so you can easily comprehend that just now there are few events occurring here of interest to the world outside of the capital. Yet under these adverse circumstances I have undertaken to write you a letter.

The most prominent, if not the most agreeable, topic to a Democrat, is the result of the late elections in Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana, and of those to come in November. The former it will not do to dwell upon at much length, while the latter do not afford any very sanguine anticipations of improvement. From the quadrangular character of the contest in New York, I should not be much surprised if Seymour came out ahead. But I shall not attempt to unravel the mysteries of New York politics; nobody but the old National Intelligencer has attempted to do it, and the editor got completely beyond his depth by the time he touched the subject. The only conclusion he arrived at was, that the Whigs of New York were as much divided as their opponents, and I surmised that he anticipated a defeat of the Whig candidates week after next. The Democratic Conventions nominating Seymour and Bronson respectively, adopted resolutions substantially alike, and between them the contest is interesting only to show whether the Hards or Softs are gaining in numbers. So far as the late elections are concerned, although Abolitionists and Fusionists rule the day, it is gratifying to know that there are 167,000 Democrats in Pennsylvania, and a strong and solid phalanx in Ohio and Indiana, who have refused to bow the knee to Baal, and resisted the madness and fanaticism of the hour. The storm has swept away all who were not Democrats for principles' sake, and left the Democratic organization free from the malign influence of those who attached themselves to it only to secure the spoils of office.

The Abolitionism of Northern Whigs has become so apparent by the action of recent conventions in that quarter, that the Southern Whig press have at least been compelled to confess it and to denounce their quondam associates. From one extreme they seem disposed to run into another. Heretofore, Southern Whig papers have assumed to be pre-eminently national and conservative in their views; now they have separated from Northern Whigs, given up all claim to a National organization, and seek to become the peculiar champions of Southern interests: all this probably to gain some local advantage, and in the end to resume relationship at some more favorable moment with those they now denounce. Southern Democrats, however, cannot be seduced by these professions to abandon the only National political organization that now exists. There are true men in the Northern States in the Democratic ranks, and these it is the duty of the South to support. If Southern Whigs have really at heart the interests of the South, they will at once unite themselves with this organization, and not assume a sectional attitude, the effect and design of which is to break it down.

I have looked through the official reports of the operations of the allied armies in the Crimea, and the accounts of the battle of Alma, as published in the London Times, and am convinced that they are highly colored, and deceptive. The main fact, however, stands out in bold relief, that the Russians retreated and left the field of battle in the possession of the allies; but the loss of the latter is doubtless greater than that of the Russians. The English lost 2196, the French 1500, making in round numbers 2700. The allies took only a few prisoners who were not wounded, and of the wounded some eight or nine hundred—certainly less in number than their own. Again, it is stated in Lord Raglan's despatch, that the French turned the Russian left, and seized a battery, while the English did the same on the Russian right; yet only two cannon were taken, while the Russians had from 100 to 150 in the field. The retreat then was in perfect order. The mouth of the harbor of Sebastopol has been blocked up by sunken ships, and the whole allied fleet rendered useless for an attack on that fortress. The base of operations of the allies has been entirely changed from the North to the South, for the reason, we are told, that the fortress is not defended on that side. Probably this will be discovered to be a mistake, when an assault is made. Sebastopol is not yet taken, and I hope that the Russian bear will yet make the allies feel the weight of his paws.

The last mail from Europe brings the text of a letter addressed by that fast young man, George N. Sanders, to the French Republicans, in which Louis Napoleon is handled without gloves, and the Republicans aforesaid are exhorted to put down the Empire and erect a Republic. Sanders seems to have taken the cause of European Republicans under his special care, but his indiscreet zeal is doing more to injure their cause and, at the same time, to bring distrust upon our own Government from those who do not intimately understand its operations, than twenty Louis Napoleons. The citizens of the United States would be pleased if the people of the whole world enjoyed the same degree of freedom as they themselves; but they are the last to dispute the principle that every nation has a right to direct its internal affairs and to establish such a government as it may see proper. The French people elected Napoleon Emperor by an immense majority, and if they are satisfied, that is enough, whatever may be our views as to its policy. Sanders couldn't manage the old fogies at home, and I doubt whether he has better success abroad with the tyrants and despots. He is coming home soon, and it is said, will try his hand on the old fogies again.

"The American Organ," the new Native-American or No-Nothing paper, will make its first appearance here on the evening of the 13th November. Mr. Ellis, the editor, it is said, is a man of talents, and the paper is expected to have an extensive circulation, perhaps sufficient to secure the government advertising by virtue of its circulation, instead of the National Intelligencer.

Col. John H. Wheeler, our new minister resident at Nicaragua, and his family, left the city on Thursday, *en route* for his post of duty. At Norfolk they embark on board the U. S. steamer Princeton, for Pensacola, thence to San Juan by the frigate Columbia. Up the San Juan and across Lake Nicaragua to Grenada, thence ninety miles on a mule's back!

MECKLENBURG.

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WASHINGTON CITY, Oct. 23, 1854.

WM. W. HOLDEN, ESQ.—*Ed. Standard*: I have read with satisfaction your notice of Harper. And excuse me for quoting to you your own language. Men often accidently embody an idea in language which under effort they would fail to express within an entire page. You close your article with these words: "And the day is not distant, we trust, when Southern Literature—*the embodiment of the power and learning of the Southern mind*—will be sought even by those who taunt us with our inferiority in this respect." (*Standard, 11th October.*)

The most powerful journal in the world is the London Times. It is based on the Gentry of England, an interest inferior in all respects to the educated slave owner of the South. The Times was founded by stock subscriptions in sums small to the subscribers but amounting to an enormous sum in the total. Thus organized that powerful journal controls the opinions of the civilized world. Will the South ever concentrate for the elevation of her literature? This is a grave question. It involves everything. Ideas form opinions and individual opinion is necessarily reflected in representation. Under our form of Government representation decides by majorities on questions of political economy—amends or defines the Constitution—compromises principles—Indicates the progress of the country and reflects back upon the social features of the nation the characteristics of the government. How important then is this individual opinion! The ideas of the people are stronger than armies. If bayonets think, ideas glisten.

So far as the South is concerned the school books issued by Northern concerns must be closely watched. The republications of Leonard, Scottt & Co., are extremely dangerous, and Harper is more to be feared than Putnam. But the great effort must be a counter-effort, an effort to found a great journal, "the embodiment of the learning and power of the Southern mind." That journal must be metropolitan, and here in Washington is the place for it. What have the Southern people to expect from their men of learning and power when their writings cannot bring enough to pay for the paper on which the article is placed, while the Northern press pays largely and liberally for contributions? They possess capital; they pay for the "mind" which glows on every page—and yet there is not one page on the political history of this country—from the Declaration of Independence down—which did not come from a Southern pen. The South has the mind, she has the will, but unfortunately her influence is cut up into fragments by political parties.

The future of agitation before her—the course of Putnam and Harper, all tend to foster in our minds the importance of an united effort. Such an effort will be made this winter. There will be a concentration of influences to establish a Monthly to take the field, as a Southern Monthly, against Putnam. It is to be hoped that the effort will succeed. But what is there in the past history of the South to justify such hopes? Nothing. She is like a careless boy, who exposes himself on the highway and is run over, and for the first time realizes his humiliating position, as he rebounds, covered with dust and foaming with rage and mortification. In ten minutes he will be walking along with his hands in his pockets, his hat crushed in, his coat spoiled, whistling, regardless of the succeeding train almost on his heels again. The indignation of the South is like one of the sayings of the French—"mustard after dinner." If, however, the present crusade against their rights, property, peace and security, does not goad them on to action, they will deserve that last and lowest state of a degraded people—*mental subjection.*

LOUISIANA.

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For the Standard.

ROXBORO', Person Co., Oct. 20, 1854.

*To His Excellency,* DAVID S. REID:

It may appear paradoxical to maintain that a planter may diminish his crops by the use of fertilizers, still I shall attempt to show that such a result is possible. Theoreticaly and practically the doctrine is both interesting and important. It is founded upon principles which I have had occasion to state while speaking of manures and fertilizers. The doctrine alluded to is based on two facts, viz: that each plant requires certain inorganic elements for its growth and perfection of seed, and that the most important of these elements exist in the soil only in smaller proportions. Now a plant, in certain respects, is like an animal. If a young or an old animal is supplied with a large quantity of food its growth is promoted, or its fat accumulates. This is the case if the food contains all the elements of nutrition. It is not the case, however, if one or more of them are wanting. In the case of a young animal, for example, the milk which is the natural food contains in its normal condition every element which the system requires; but if the milk should be deficient in phosphate of lime or phosphoric of acid the animal could not grow, or if it did grow by means of a small amount of phosphoric acid or phosphate of lime, the bones would be soft and flexible. But this is not the point I am attempting to prove or elucidate, and the allusion is made merely for the purpose of stating the fact, that in the food of both animals and plants there is *a speciality* which should be remembered by all planters and stock-growers. But plants are unlike animals in certain respects; their mouths, for instance, are placed in a magazine of food, but this magazine may contain a rich supply of certain elements of nutrition and a very scanty supply of others; but enough of all for the present to ensure the growth of the plant and perfection of the seed. If now the planter resorts to the use of the mineral fertilizers, as plaster, the result will be for the first two or three years a greater growth of herbage as well as a greater increase of fruit or seed. If this magazine of food (the soil) contains a small quantity only of phosphate of lime, the employment of plaster or sulphate of lime puts the plant in a condition to use and take up a larger amount of phosphate of lime than it could, provided this mineral had not been employed. If this magazine contained phosphate of lime which would have lasted ten years with no fertilizer, it will not last more than five with it. By the use of this fertilizer the root is increased in extent, and to speak figuratively, the number of mouths formed to take up food is proportionally increased also, and hence, the store house is more rapidly exhausted. We have now arrived at the point where we can see the consequences which accrue from the use of mineral fertilizers; the elements of food which exist in small quantities only become exhausted in a short period under this system of cultivation, and as every plant must have every one of the elements of nutrition for the perfection of seed, the time soon comes when seed cannot be perfected for the want of one element. The general effects of such a system of culture is seen at once, and yet the planter may persevere in it for he saw in the beginning most gratifying results; his crops may have been doubled, and in order to keep up, and perhaps attempt to increase the production still more, supplies his favorite fertilizer in greater quantities, though he may have seen after the second and third year, that its employment did not turn out so favorably as at first. This result may be attributed to the season, it was too wet or too dry, too hot or too cold, or to any cause but the right one. The neighbors say he has killed his soil by the use of plaster, but the true philosophy is, he has exhausted prematurely and unnecessarily one of the essential elements of fertility. It is evident enough he can no longer use plaster—he must find out what has become deficient in the soil. There is no such thing as killing a soil or ruining it, it is a simple exhaustion of one or two elements. What those lacking elements are must now be found out and the remedy becomes a simple application or restoration of what has been injudiciously removed.—What is true of Gypsun is equally true of Peruvian Guano. The proportion of inorganic matter in this variety is much smaller relatively than in the Mexican. It is highly active upon worn out soils, producing heavy crops of the cereals the first year. The continued use of this kind of Guano alone for a succession of years brings about that condition of the soil I have alluded to, or according to the expressive phrase of planters and farmers, the soil is killed. It may be inquired here, if these are the results of plaster and Peruvian Guano, what are they good for? I answer they are the preparatives for a good system of husbandry and are designed to save time. They bring about in one year what would require four or five by the ordinary means, as the use of green crops or even stable manure. The soil is brought at once in a condition to produce, but it is not by a reapplication of the same fertilizer, *even Guano.* Now, the planter may use his straw, his clover crop, or his stable manure to keep up the fertility of his soil, and why?—it is because these contain a greater variety or number of the elements of food which the plant requires. The intelligent English farmer applies lime largely once; by this, he obtains a stock in trade to go on—he borrows largely for once, and by it is enabled, if he understands the principles of husbandry, to pay back what he has borrowed. But he would not think of paying back in lime—that would ruin him; but he is now prepared for the use of the slower or more organic and inorganic fertilizers combined, and by thin use he may go on without killing his soil. So Guano is to be used once to save time and prepare the way for the less active fertilizers. The vendor of this article will tell a different story, for it is a perishable article and must be sold the first season; but the intelligent planter will find that he can go on successfully by one application and save his fifty dollars per ton for other purposes.

Most respectfully, yours &c.,
E. EMMONS, *State Geologist.*

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We understand that upon a recent visit of Thomas Bragg, Esq., Governor elect, to Edenton, the event was signalized by the firing of thirty guns and other demonstrations of admiration and respect. Mr. B. is held, and deservedly held, in the very highest esteem, wherever he is known. *Dem. Pioneer.*

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## COMMON SCHOOLS.

OFFICE OF LITERARY BOARD,
RALEIGH, October 26, 1854.

The President and Directors of the Literary Fund having made distribution of the nett income of said Fund for the year 1854 among the several Counties of the State for Common Schools, have directed the following Tabular Statement to be published, showing the Spring and Fall distribution to each County, and the sum total distributed during the year.

The amount of the Fall distribution will be paid to the persons entitled to receive the same on application to the Treasury Department.

The Counties of Jackson, Madison and Yadkin will receive their portion from the Counties from which they were respectively formed.

The Public Treasurer will pay to the County of Yadkin seventy-five dollars, which was erroneously deducted from that County in 1853 for one Deaf-mute, and charge the same to the Institution for the Deaf and Dumb and Blind; and will also pay the sum of seventy-five dollars to the County of Burke, which was erroneously deducted from the share of that County in the year 1853.

DAVID S. REID,
*Pres. Ex. Off. Lit. Fund.*

| COUNTIES. | Federal Pop'lat'n. | Spring Distribut'n. | Fall Distribut'n. | Total Distribut'n. | Ded'ct for Deaf and Dumb. | Balance due. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| ALAMANCE, | 10,166 | $ 1,219 92 | $ 1,219 92 | $ 2,439 84 | $ 150 00 | $ 1,089 92 |
| ALEXANDER, | 5,008 | 600 36 | 600 36 | 1,200 72 | | |
| ANSON, | 10,756 | 1,290 72 | 1,290 72 | 2,581 44 | 75 00 | 1,215 73 |
| ASHE, | 8,539 | 1,024 68 | 1,024 68 | 2,049 36 | 75 00 | 949 68 |
| BEAUFORT, | 11,716 | 1,405 92 | 1,405 92 | 2,811 84 | 75 00 | 1,330 92 |
| BERTIE, | 9,973 | 1,196 76 | 1,196 76 | 2,393 52 | | |
| BLADEN, | 8,024 | 962 88 | 962 88 | 1,925 76 | | |
| BRUNSWICK, | 5,951 | 714 12 | 714 12 | 1,428 24 | | |
| BUNCOMBE, | 12,338 | 1,480 56 | 1,480 56 | 2,961 12 | | |
| BURKE, | 6,919 | 830 28 | 830 28 | 1,660 56 | | |
| CABARRUS, | 8,674 | 1,040 88 | 1,040 88 | 2,081 76 | 150 00 | 890 88 |
| CALDWELL, | 5,336 | 700 32 | 700 32 | 1,400 64 | | |
| CAMDEN, | 5,174 | 620 88 | 620 88 | 1,241 76 | | |
| CARTERET, | 6,208 | 744 96 | 744 96 | 1,489 92 | | |
| CASWELL, | 12,161 | 1,459 32 | 1,459 32 | 2,918 64 | | |
| CATAWBA, | 8,234 | 988 08 | 988 08 | 1,976 16 | | |
| CHATHAM, | 16,055 | 1,926 60 | 1,926 60 | 3,853 20 | | |
| CHEROKEE, | 6,703 | 804 36 | 804 36 | 1,608 72 | | |
| CHOWAN, | 5,352 | 630 24 | 630 24 | 1,260 48 | | |
| CLEAVELAND, | 9,697 | 1,163 64 | 1,163 64 | 2,327 28 | | |
| COLUMBUS, | 5,308 | 636 96 | 636 96 | 1,273 92 | | |
| CRAVEN, | 12,329 | 1,479 48 | 1,479 48 | 2,958 96 | | |
| CUMBERLAND, | 17,723 | 2,126 76 | 2,126 76 | 4,253 52 | 150 00 | 1,976 76 |
| CURRITUCK, | 6,257 | 750 84 | 750 84 | 1,501 68 | | |
| DAVIDSON, | 14,193 | 1,694 76 | 1,694 76 | 3,389 52 | | |
| DAVIE, | 6,998 | 839 76 | 839 76 | 1,679 52 | | |
| DUPLIN, | 11,111 | 1,333 32 | 1,333 32 | 2,666 64 | | |
| EDGECOMBE, | 13,770 | 1,652 40 | 1,652 40 | 3,304 80 | 150 00 | 1,502 40 |
| FORSYTHE, | 10,027 | 1,275 24 | 1,275 24 | 2,550 48 | 75 00 | 1,200 24 |
| FRANKLIN, | 9,510 | 1,141 20 | 1,141 20 | 2,282 40 | | |
| GASTON, | 7,228 | 867 36 | 867 36 | 1,734 72 | | |
| GATES, | 6,878 | 825 36 | 825 36 | 1,650 72 | | |
| GRANVILLE, | 17,303 | 2,076 36 | 2,076 36 | 4,152 72 | | |
| GREENE, | 5,320 | 638 52 | 638 52 | 1,277 04 | | |
| GUILFORD, | 18,480 | 2,217 60 | 2,217 60 | 4,435 20 | 225 00 | 1,992 60 |
| HALIFAX, | 13,007 | 1,560 84 | 1,560 84 | 3,121 68 | | |
| HAYWOOD, | 6,907 | 828 84 | 828 84 | 1,657 68 | | |
| HENDERSON, | 6,883 | 825 96 | 825 96 | 1,651 92 | | |
| HERTFORD, | 6,656 | 798 72 | 798 72 | 1,597 44 | | |
| HYDE, | 6,585 | 790 20 | 790 20 | 1,580 40 | 75 00 | 715 20 |
| IREDELL, | 13,062 | 1,567 44 | 1,567 44 | 3,134 88 | | |
| JACKSON, | | | | | | |
| JOHNSTON, | 11,861 | 1,423 32 | 1,423 32 | 2,846 64 | | |
| JONES, | 3,935 | 472 20 | 472 20 | 944 40 | | |
| LENOIR, | 6,182 | 741 84 | 741 84 | 1,483 68 | 75 00 | 666 84 |
| LINCOLN, | 6,924 | 830 88 | 830 88 | 1,661 76 | | |
| MADISON, | | | | | | |
| MCDOWELL, | 5,741 | 688 92 | 688 92 | 1,377 84 | | |
| MACON, | 6,169 | 740 28 | 740 28 | 1,480 56 | | |
| MARTIN, | 6,961 | 835 32 | 835 32 | 1,670 64 | | |
| MECKLENBURG, | 11,724 | 1,406 88 | 1,406 88 | 2,813 76 | | |
| MONTGOMERY, | 6,163 | 739 56 | 739 56 | 1,479 12 | | |
| MOORE, | 8,552 | 1,026 26 | 1,026 26 | 2,052 52 | 75 00 | 951 26 |
| NASH, | 9,034 | 1,084 08 | 1,084 08 | 2,168 16 | | |
| NEW HANOVER, | 14,236 | 1,703 32 | 1,703 32 | 3,416 64 | 225 00 | 1,483 32 |
| NORTHAMPTON, | 10,731 | 1,287 72 | 1,287 72 | 2,575 44 | | |
| ONSLOW, | 7,040 | 844 80 | 844 80 | 1,689 60 | | |
| ORANGE, | 14,957 | 1,794 84 | 1,794 84 | 3,589 68 | | |
| PASQUOTANK, | 7,708 | 924 96 | 924 96 | 1,849 92 | 75 00 | 849 96 |
| PERQUIMANS, | 6,030 | 723 60 | 723 60 | 1,447 20 | | |
| PERSON, | 8,825 | 1,059 00 | 1,059 00 | 2,118 00 | | |
| PITT, | 10,745 | 1,289 40 | 1,289 40 | 2,578 80 | | |
| RANDOLPH, | 15,176 | 1,821 12 | 1,821 12 | 3,642 24 | 75 00 | 1,746 12 |
| RICHMOND, | 7,936 | 952 32 | 952 32 | 1,904 64 | | |
| ROBESON, | 11,080 | 1,329 60 | 1,329 60 | 2,659 20 | | |
| ROCKINGHAM, | 12,363 | 1,483 56 | 1,483 56 | 2,967 12 | | |
| ROWAN, | 12,329 | 1,479 48 | 1,479 48 | 2,959 96 | | |
| RUTHERFORD, | 12,388 | 1,486 56 | 1,486 56 | 2,973 12 | | |
| SAMPSON, | 12,311 | 1,477 32 | 1,477 32 | 2,954 64 | | |
| STANLY, | 6,848 | 761 76 | 761 76 | 1,523 52 | | |
| STOKES, | 8,490 | 1,018 80 | 1,018 80 | 2,037 60 | 75 00 | 943 80 |
| SURRY, | 17,643 | 2,117 16 | 2,117 16 | 4,234 32 | | |
| TYRRELL, | 4,452 | 534 24 | 534 24 | 1,068 48 | | |
| UNION, | 9,258 | 1,110 96 | 1,110 96 | 2,221 92 | 150 00 | 960 96 |
| WAKE, | 21,123 | 2,534 76 | 2,534 76 | 5,069 52 | 75 00 | 2,459 76 |
| WARREN, | 10,366 | 1,243 92 | 1,243 92 | 2,487 84 | 75 00 | 1,168 92 |
| WASHINGTON, | 4,780 | 573 60 | 573 60 | 1,147 20 | 75 00 | 498 60 |
| WATAUGA, | 3,348 | 401 76 | 401 76 | 803 52 | 75 00 | 326 76 |
| WAYNE, | 11,478 | 1,377 36 | 1,377 36 | 2,754 72 | | |
| WILKES, | 11,642 | 1,397 04 | 1,397 04 | 2,794 08 | | |
| YADKIN, | | | | | | |
| YANCY, | 8,068 | 963 96 | 968 96 | 1,937 92 | | |
| | 753,542 | $90,425 04 | $90,425 04 | 180,850 08 | $2,250 00 | |

☞ The Metropolitan, Raleigh; N. C. Republican, Goldsboro'; Carolinian, Fayetteville; Journal, Newbern; Halcyon, Beaufort; Pioneer, Elizabeth City; Spectator, Milton; Patriot, Greensboro'; Democrat, Charlotte; Republican Banner, Salisbury; Roanoke Republican, Halifax; News, Asheville; Intelligencer, Shelby; Pee Dee Star, Wadesboro'; and Journal, Wilmington, will each publish the foregoing twice, and send their accounts to the President of the Board. 1096—2t.

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## THE MARKETS.

### NORFOLK MARKET.

REPORTED FOR THE "NORTH-CAROLINA STANDARD,"
BY A. M. M'PHEETERS & CO.,
*Wholesale Grocers, Forwarding & Commission Merchants.*
Oct. 28, 1854.

FLOUR—Our market shows more activity during this than for several preceding weeks. The recent European accounts have caused an advance of 75c to $1 per bbl. We quote to-day S. F. $8¾ @ $9; extra $9 25 @ $9 50; family $9¾ @ $10.

CORN—None of consequence arriving. The canal is still closed which checks operations.

B. E. PEAS—Few arriving—sales this week at 95c.

STAVES—R O hhd $38; W O hhd $46; W O bbl $32; W O pipe $60—they meet with ready sales.

NAVAL STORES—Tar dull at $3¼ @ $3¾ for black and $3½ for bright. Spts Turp 52c. Common Rosin in demand, none in market.

LIME—Thomaston $1 25; W C $1 30; Cement $2.

GUANO—Plenty at previous quotations.

GROCERIES—The grocery market continues firm with a steady demand. We have no change of consequence to note. Dried Apples, sales at $1 24 per bushel.

### FAYETTEVILLE MARKET.

Oct. 28, 1854.

We report an improvement in business of all kinds. BACON scarce, and in demand at 12 to 12½. CORN, sales at 90 cts to $1 per bushel. COTTON in good demand at full prices—on Thursday about 70 bales were sold at 9 cts. FLOUR has advanced full 50 cts on the barrel—some sales super at $8.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE is lower—41 to 42 cts per gallon. Raw do. no change.

Last week we reported a "dull" market—it should have been a "brisk" market—mistake of the printer. *Cur.*

### WILMINGTON MARKET.

Oct. 28, 1854.

TURPENTINE—Continues in fair enquiry for shipping purposes, and market firm at our quotations. Sales yesterday of 379 bbls at $2 80 for virgin and $3 50 for yellow dip, ℔ 280 lbs; and this morning 44 do. at same price.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—No sales yesterday. This morning we learn that some parcels have changed hands, but have been unable to get the particulars at the time of closing our report; market quiet.

ROSIN—Sales yesterday afternoon of 100

## MAIL ARRANGEMENTS AT RALEIGH.

*Arrival and Departure of Railroad and Stage Lines at and from Raleigh.*

NORTHERN MAIL,—(By Railroad,)—
Leaves daily ..... at 7½ a. m.
Arrives daily ..... at 6½ p. m.
(Mail closes at 6½ a. m.)

SOUTHERN MAIL,—(By Two-horse Hack,)—
Leaves daily ..... at 7½ a. m.
Arrives daily ..... at 3 p. m.
(Mail closes at 6½ a. m.)

WESTERN MAIL,—(By Four-horse Coaches,)—
Leaves daily ..... at 8 a. m.
Arrives daily, ..... at 2½ p. m.
(Mail closes at 8 a. m.)

PITTSBOROUGH MAIL,—(By Two-horse Hack,)—
Leaves Sunday and Wednesday ..... at 5 a. m.
Arrives Monday and Thursday ..... at 7 p. m.
(Mail closes Tuesdays and Saturdays at 9 p. m.)

GOLDSBOROUGH MAIL,—(By Four-horse Coach.)—
Leaves daily, (except Sunday,) ..... at 7 a. m.
Arrives daily, (except Monday,) ..... at 11 p. m.
(Mail closes at 7 p. m.)

TARBOROUGH MAIL,—(By Two-horse Hack,)—
Leaves Monday, Wednesday and Friday, .... at 5 a. m.
Arrives Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, .... at 7 p. m.
(Mail closes Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday at 9 p. m.)

ROXBOROUGH MAIL,—(By Horse,)—
Leaves Friday, ..... at 12 m.
Arrives Friday ..... at 9 a. m.
(Mail closes Friday at 12 m.)

**RALEIGH AND GASTON ROAD.**—ON AND after 3d July the Passenger Train will leave the Depot at Raleigh at half past 6 A. M.—stop 35 minutes at Franklinton, and reach Weldon at half past 11, in time for passengers to take the Wilmington train going South, and the Petersburg and Portsmouth trains going North.

Returning, it will leave Weldon at 2 P. M., after the arrival of the train from Wilmington, and reach Raleigh at half past 6 P. M.

Office Raleigh and Gaston R. R. Co., }
June 29th, 1854. } 85—tf.

**RALEIGH & GASTON RAIL ROAD.**—Slaves are not permitted to travel on the Rail Road without a written permit from their owners. Duplicates should in all cases be given, as the Ticket Agents are instructed to retain one copy of every pass.

JAMES M. POOL,
Ticket Agent.
Raleigh, January 6, 1854. 15—

**P. F. PESCUD,**

**WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRUGGIST, Raleigh, N. C.,** IS NOW RECEIVING HIS extensive purchases for the SPRING TRADE, and the rapidly increasing demand having justified his purchasing many articles in original cases, which he has hitherto procured in small quantities, justifies him in offering unprecedented inducements to his friends and customers. To the trade—he will sell the most popular Patent Medicines at the Proprietors prices, and respectfully requests dealers and the public generally to give his stock and prices an examination before sending their orders North or elsewhere.
March 24, 1854. 37—

**PAINT'S, OILS & VARNISH.**—The Subscriber is receiving his Spring stock of Paints, Oils and Varnishes, of all kinds and qualities, and in quantities, commensurate with the greatly increased demand. He would call especial attention to his superior quality of Pure White Lead, Linseed Oil, Coach and Furniture Varnish, and respectfully invite purchasers to Examine his Stock and prices before buying in this or the northern Markets, believing he is able to give them superior inducements.

P. F. PESCUD.
Raleigh, March 28, 1854. 38—

**CARTERS' SPANISH MIXTURE.**—A fresh supply just received, and those troubled with Dyspepsia or diseases arising from an impure state of the blood, are urged to give it a trial. It has produced a wonderful cure in Raleigh, by the use of 2 Bottles. P. F. PESCUD.

**LYON'S RAT PILLS AND SALVE.** DON'T be annoyed any longer with rats, when you can exterminate them by giving Rat Pills, or greasing their food with Coster's Salve, which you will find at PESCUD'S.

**SADDLER, FERTH & ROSS' MUSTARD.** A large Case of this Mustard—which is considered the best in the world—by many persons—is just received at PESCUD'S DRUG STORE.

**RED LARD OIL IS NOW USED BY MANY** persons in preference to TRAIN OIL because it is just as good, and much cheaper. A supply for sale very low at PESCUD'S DRUG STORE.

**LYON'S KATHIRON.**—12 Dozen Bottles just received and for sale wholesale and retail, by

P. F. PESCUD.
Nov. 4th. 101—

**PERFUMERY,** Hair Brushes, Tooth Brushes, and Fancy articles in great variety, for sale by

P. F. PESCUD.
Nov. 4th. 101—

**HAIR BRUSHES.**—The most extensive variety of Hair Brushes in this City, may be seen and bought very cheap at P. F. Pescud's DRUG STORE.

**TOOTH BRUSHES.**—I have a very large supply of splendid Tooth Brushes—for sale very low by

P. F. PESCUD.

**LAMPS.**—I will sell my present supply of Fluid Lamps, at reduced prices, as I desire to introduce a new style.

P. F. PESCUD.

**DRESSING COMBS.**—A fine assortment is to hand and for sale by P. F. PESCUD.

**SCHIEDAM SCHNAPPS.**—A large stock on hand and for sale by P. F. PESCUD.

**BREAST PUMPS.**—A supply of very superior quality for sale very low by P. F. PESCUD.

**SYRINGES.**—A large stock of Syringes—of all kinds, just received and for sale by P. F. PESCUD.

**GLUE, GLUE.**—A large supply of White and Brown Glue just received and for sale by P. F. PESCUD.

**FRESH DRUGS, MEDICINES, &c.**—WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD, are now receiving large additions to their stock of DRUGS, MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS, DYESTUFFS, WINDOW GLASS, PERFUMERY, &c., &c., from the most reliable Houses in the Northern Cities, which have been purchased with an eye single to their purity, and are offered for sale at such prices and on such terms as shall compare favorably with any house in the State.

Physicians, Country Merchants, and Dealers generally, will do well to give us a call before purchasing, feeling assured we shall not fail to please both in point of price and quality.

Orders promptly attended to, and particular attention given to packing and forwarding.

Family Medicines and Prescriptions compounded at all hours of the day and night, by a competent person with neatness and despatch.

We tender our most sincere thanks to the citizens of Raleigh and the surrounding country for the long and liberal patronage we have received, and trust by untiring zeal and energy to please in the prosecution of our business, to merit its continuance.

Raleigh, April 28, 1851. 94—

**ROCKBRIDGE ALUM WATER.**—HAVING the Agency for the sale of this valuable Medicinal Water, we are now prepared to furnish it by the barrel, half barrel or gallon. Pamphlets containing the Analysis and certificates of cures, may be had on application to the subscribers. WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.
June 21, 1854. 63—

**BROWN WINDSOR SOAP.**—12 DOZEN, JUST received. Also a large variety of Lubin's and Bazin's Perfumery, at the drug Store of WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.
October 11, 1853. 96—

**EXCELSIOR SOAP.**—300 LBS. OF THIS SUPERior family soap, in store and for sale cheap by the box or pound, at WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD'S.

**SMOKING TOBACCO.**—2000 PAPERS OF SUPERior Virginia Smoking Tobacco, recommended by the "first families." For sale by WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

**PAINT MILLS.**—A GREAT LABOR SAVING MAchine for grinding colors, and one which every painter should have; for sale at the Drug Store of WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

**GLAZIERS' DIAMONDS AND KNIVES.**—In Store and for sale by WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

**LYON'S RAT PILLS,** THE MOST EFFECTUAL remedy ever used for the destruction of Rats, Mice, &c. or by WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

**EXTRACTS FOR FLAVORING.**—Rose, Vanilla, Orange, Lemon, Butter Almond, Cinnamon and Pine Apple in store and for sale by WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

**CHLORINE TOOTH WASH** STANDS UNRIVALLED for cleansing the mouth and preserving the teeth and gums. For sale at WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD'S.

**COD LIVER OIL.**—A FRESH SUPPLY of Rushton, Clark & Co.'s just to hand, at the Drug Store of WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

**PRIME CHEWING TOBACCO. JONES'** Premium, pride of Virginia, Rock Candy Extra Dan River, and other popular brands in store, and for sale by WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

**WHITE LEAD.**—4000 LBS. OF SUPERIOR White Lead in store and for sale by WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

**OILS! OILS!!**—1000 GALLS. LINSEED, COTTON Seed, Machine and Tanners' Oils for sale at the Drug Store of WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

**TABLE SALT.**—VERY FINE AND WHITE in small bags, in store and for sale by WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

**CORN STARCH.**—A FRESH SUPPLY JUST RECEIVED at the Drug Store of WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

**DEPILATORY.**—FOR REMOVING SUPERFLUOUS HAIR, for sale by WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

**SOAPS, &c.**—VARIETIES OF TOILET, SHAVING, and Fancy Soaps. Lyon's Kathairon, Barry's Tricopherus, Rowlands' genuine Macassar Oil, Bears Oil, Beef Marrow for the hair, for sale by HAYWOOD & SCOTT.

**PERFUMERY.**—WE ARE NOW RECEIVING A supply of select articles for the toilet—come and examine them. HAYWOOD & SCOTT.
June 9, '54. —62

**PURE** and No. 1 qualities of White Lead, in kegs of 100 lbs. and 25 lbs., for sale by HAYWOOD & SCOTT.
Raleigh, March 20th, 1854. 37—

**CIGARS! CIGARS!!**—A lot of the very best brands of imported Cigars, has just been received at HAYWOOD & SCOTT.

**WOLFE'S SCHEIDAM SCHNAPPS.**—A fresh supply of this popular Medicine, just received and for sale by HAYWOOD & SCOTT.

**NORTH CAROLINA** made Blacking, a superior article for sale by HAYWOOD & SCOTT.

**ACKERMON'S** & PARMERSTON'S Yeast Powders, a first rate and cheap article for sale by HAYWOOD & SCOTT.

**TO THE PUBLIC.**—THE SUBSCRIBER, ANTONIO PIZZINI, *Foreign and Domestic Confectioner and Fruit Dealer*, formerly of Richmond, Virginia, has the pleasure of informing the citizens of Raleigh and the adjacent country, that he has opened (three doors below Messrs. W. H. & R. S. Tucker)

**A Splendid Confectionary and Fruit Establishment!**

In his store will be found at all times all that is nice, sweet and agreeable to the taste. Believing that the citizens of the place desire the establishment of a house of this kind, he hopes, by attention to the trade, to merit a portion of its favors. ANTONIO PIZZINI.

N. B. He keeps constantly on hand—

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| Oranges, Lemons, per box, | Preserves, |
| Raisins, per whole, ½ and ¼ boxes, | Cordials, |
| Nuts of all kinds, | Cigars of all kinds, |
| Figs and Prunes, | French and German Fancy Goods. |

STEAM CANDIES (fancy and plain) manufactured by myself, and warranted as good as any in the United States. The above articles can be had at wholesale and retail.

A. PIZZINI.
April 15, 1854. 44—

**THE CELEBRATED** RAHAT-EE-LOKOOM OR TUQKISH FIG-PASTE—A delicious article of confectionary for the well, and an agreeable and nutricious food for the ill and feeble; good for Coughs and Colds, and particularly beneficial and strengthening for weak Lungs.

Also a lot of fine Pine-Apples, Maple Sugar, and Crystalized fruit. Call soon at

ANTONIO PIZZINI'S
New Confectionary Store.
Raleigh, N. C,, May, 5, 1854. 49—tf.

**PULLEN & BELVIN,** DEALERS IN ENGLISH, GERMAN, AND AMERICAN HARDWARE, COACH TRIMMINGS, CROCKERY AND WOOD WARE, CUTLERY, GUNS AND EDGE TOOLS, *Bolting Cloth, &c. &c.* R. Smith's Corner, Raleigh, N. C.—Pocket and Table Knives, Drawing Knives, Adzes, Vices, Halter and Trace Chains, Hammers, Axes, Augurs, Anvils, Hinges, Screws, Chisels, Hoes, Spades and Shovels, Iron Ware, wrought cut and spike Nails, Wood Ware, Coach Trimmings, Bolting Cloths, Crockery Ware, and every style of House-keeping articles, and Farmer's and Mechanic's tools.
Raleigh, May 5, 1853. 49—tf.

**PLEASANT GROVE MALE ACADEMY,** *Wake Forest, N. C.*—WILLIAM M. CRENSHAW, A. B., Principal.—The Seventh Session of this institution will commence on the 2nd Monday in January next. Tuition from $7 to $15 per session. The Academy is situated 1 mile from Forestville. The location of this institution for health, morality and convenience cannot be surpassed by any. The Trustees of this school have more than realized their expectations in Mr. Crenshaw as a teacher, and would say to the public that he is a thorough scholar and a good instructor. Board can be had at $6 per month. For further particulars address Dr. WESLEY HARTSFIELD,
Forestville, Wake Co., N. C.
Nov. 23, 1853. 3—tf.

**DEMOCRATIC OFFICE FOR SALE.**—ON account of the failing health of the pul lisher, a Democratic paper, located in one of the most pleasant, thriving and business towns in the State of North Carolina, is offered for sale on the most accommodating terms. The circulation is already large and constantly increasing, and the advertisement and job work the past year was worth ($2,300) twenty-three hundred dollars.

To a gentleman of ability and enterprise so advantageous an opportunity for investment is seldom offered. For particulars apply to W. W. Holden, Standard office, Raleigh, N. C.
October 2, 1854. 90—

**J. SCHLOSS & BRO.**
DEALERS IN
**Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Clothing, &c,**
RALEIGH, N. C.

☞ Call at Lougee's New Brick Building, next door to Col. Hutchings' Sadlery Establishment.

*Terms*—Cash, or credit, if settled every six months.
J. SCHLOSS & BRO.
Raleigh, June 28, 1854.

**HENRY T. CLAWSON,** COACH AND CARRIAGE MANUFACTURER. Also, Manufacturer to Bent Felloes, Shafts, Hubs, Spokes, Poles, Spring Bars, &c., warranted the best quality of Timber.

All manner of Coach work executed in the best style of the art.

Repairing done in the neatest manner and on the shortes notice.
Franklinton, Franklin County, N. C. 79—

**MRS. J. WOLTERING** KEEPS CONSTANTLY on hand Confectionarys and fancy Goods, also family groceries, such as Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, Tea, Rice, Bacon, &c., &c.,
China and glass ware. Come and see.
WILHELMINA WOLTERING.
Raleigh, July 14, 1854. 60—8m.

**Hay! Hay!! Hay!!!**

250 Bales prime Hay.
80 Hhds. dry and bright N. O. Sugar landing this day, and for sale low by
BAIN, HATTON & CO.
Prrtsmouth, Va., June 26, 1854. 64—

**HIDES WANTED.**—I WILL GIVE THE HIGHEST prices for Dry or Green Hides in exchange for Leather or goods at my Store at Chalk Level, Cumberland County, N. C. A. H. DEWAR.
Sept. 23, 1854. 88—6t.

**Fall and Winter, 1853.**

**JUST RECEIVED** BY THE SUBSCRIBER:
Black and colored Silks,
French an. English Merinoes, a fine assortment,
Printed and Plain Muslin DeLains,
Worked Collars and Undersleeves,
Embr'd and Plain Linen Cambric H'd'k'fs,
Muslin and Lace Edgings, a great variety,
Ladies and Gentlemens' Gloves, of all kinds,
White and Tan Colored floss skirting,
For sale by J. BROWN,
No. 9, Fayetteville Street.
Raleigh, Sept. 26, 1853. 90—

**FINE TABLE CUTLERY.**—IVORY BALANCE Handled Knives and Forks, 51 pr. in sett.
Ivory Handled Game and Beef Carvers and Forks.
" " Butter Knives and Steels. For sale by J. BROWN.

**BRASS** ANDIRONS. WIRE FENDERS, BRASS Rim. Brass Head Shovels and Tongs.
Fire Carriers and Coal Hod,
Coffee Toasters and Tea Kettles. For sale by J. BROWN.

**GROCERIES.**—LOAF, CRUSHED, GROUND AND CLARIFIED SUGARS,
Java, Laguira, and Rio Coffee,
Sperm, Adamantine and Tallow Candles,
Sugar House Syrup and Molasses,
Maderia, Cherry, Port and Champagne Wines, Cooking Wines,
Cog. Brandy, warranted pure,
Old Monongahela Whiskey,
Jamaica Rum, Holland Gin,
London Brown and Scotch Ale, for sale by
JAMES McKIMMON.

**BLANKETS AND FLANNELS.**—9-4, 10-4, 11-4, 12-4 and 13-4 sup'r Bed Blankets, Crib and Cradle do., White, Blue, Red and Green Mackinaw Blankets,
Negro Blankets—all kinds, Saddle and Horse do.
White, Red, Yellow, Green and Gray Flannels, all grades,
Fancy French, Flannels for Sacks, all colors.
In store and for sale by JAMES McKIMMON.

**NEGRO GOODS.**—KERSEYS OF ALL GRADES, Plaid, Striped and Plain Linseys,
Marlboro' and Gala Stripes and Plaids,
Cotton Osnaburgs and Heavy Shirtings,
Russet & Black Brogans—Heavy Boots, just received and for sale by JAMES McKIMMON.

**HATS AND CAPS.**—FALL STYLE AND BEST quality Moleskin Hats,
Cloth Caps of every variety and price,
Servant's Wool Hats, Black, Brown and Drab, just received.
JAMES McKIMMON.
Raleigh, Oct. 7, 1853. 93—

**FLOUR.**—SUPERIOR FAMILY FLOUR, OF NEW Wheat, in Store, and for sale by JAS. McKIMMON.
Raleigh, September 2d, 1853. 93—

**ISAAC PROCTOR,** MERCHANT TAILOR, (*Successor to Oliver & Proctor,*) Would respectfully announce to his patrons and the public generally, his return from the Northern cities, and that he is now receiving his Fall and Winter supplies of Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings. Furnishing Goods and Ready-Made Clothing, which, being bought principally for cash, he is enabled to offer on very low rates.

He has now in store, at the old stand, opposite the Post-Office,
Superfine black, blue, brown, dahlia and other fancy Cloths, of various goods.
Superfine French, English and American Cassimeres, of all prices, plain and fancy.
Superfine Simoni Doeskins, for Pants and Overcoats.
Superfine black Satins and Grenadines.
Plain and figured and fancy silk Vestings.
Fine assortment rich silk Quiltings, for weddings and parties.
Plain and figured Plush Velvets, very rich.
Furnishing Goods—A complete assortment, consisting in part of
Superfine plain and fancy dress Shirts.
" 3-ply Collars, large variety.
" Canton Flannel, bleached Drill.
Merino and silk Under-shirts and Drawers.
Silk, cotton and merino plain and fancy Hosiery.
Gloves, very superior kid, black, white and fancy.
Cravats, black and fancy, and a rich assortment for weddings and parties.
Stocks, black, white and fancy, with and without ties.
Suspenders, Dressing Gowns, &c.

In fact everything necessary for a gentleman's complete outfit.

With sincere thanks to his numerous patrons for the liberal encouragement heretofore extended to him, he hopes, by strict attention to their wants, and a determintion to please, to merit its continuance.

Gentlemen furnishing their own goods to be manufactured may rely upon receiving the same care and attention as though sold by himself.

The latest Paris and London fashions just received.

Cutting and repairing done promptly at all times.

He will remind those indebted, six months time is allowed to punctual customers. Those in arrears longer than the above time will please call and close their accounts, either by cash or note, and oblige ISAAC PROCTOR.
Raleigh, Oct. 18th, 1853. 97—

**THE STATE FAIR!**
**HARDING'S EXHIBITION!!!**

**E. L. HARDING** WOULD RESPECTFULLY INform those contemplating a visit to the annual Agricultural Fair, to be held in October, that he has selected with immediate reference to their wants and wishes, the *largest* and *most varied* assortment of

**READY-MADE CLOTHING**

that it has ever been his pleasure to exhibit.

He would, therefore, suggest the two important considerations of *convenience* and *economy*, while they can purchase from a well established Clothing Emporium in Raleigh, as good garments as can be made to order, at as *low prices* as can be sold elsewhere.

EDWARD L. HARDING,
Fayetteville Street,
Raleigh, N. C.
September 15, 1854. 86—

**MAGNIFICENT SILKS.**

**THE** RICHEST AND MOST MAGNIFICENT SILKS ever seen in the City of Raleigh, just in time for the State Fair.

By Adams & Co's Express, I have at hand this morning by far the Richest and most Magnificent Silks, Plaid, Striped and Bridal ever exhibited in the old North State.

The ladies will please call early or send their lords to supply them with the most *Splendid and Fashionable Paris Silks*, equal to any ever imported, from $20 to $40 per Dress.

B. B SMITH.

FASHIONABLE and very becoming *Head Dresses* also daily expected, together with superior Ladies *Talmas and Cloaks* with many other desirable articles for the season.
Raleigh, October 18, 1854. 93—

**LETTER FROM MR. SMITH.**

Raleigh, Sept. 25, 1854.

*To the Editor of the Standard:*

Sir: As an old friend, I know you will be pleased to learn that I have just returned from New York and Philadelphia with an elegant and extensive assortment of

*Rich and fashionable Fancy Dry Goods*, embracing every variety and style of French, English, and American fabrics, for the Fall and Winter trade of 1854, and of which I will thank you to inform your numerous readers, as I design to give them richer, better, and cheaper goods than they ever bought before. They consist of

**Splendid plaid Silks,**
**Black Silks and Bombazines,**
**Super French and English Marinos,**
**Rich French Cashmeres,**
**Plaid Marinos and Alpaccas,**
**Cashmere and Plaid Shawls,**
**Kerseys, Blankets, and Kent. Jeans,**
**Cloths and Cassimeres of all kinds,**
**Super figured Delaines,**
**French and English Prints,**
**High colored Ginghams,**
**Cloth Talmas and Cloaks,**
**Silk Mantillas,**
**Irish Linens, all qualities,**
**Velvet Trimmings,**
**Berages, and Laces,**
**Stockings and Gloves,**
**Rich Velvet Bonnets, &c., &c.**

Wishing you health and happiness, and great success in your business operations, I remain

Yours Truly,
B. B. SMITH.
September 25, 1854. 88—tf.

**$500** WORTH OF THE LARGEST AND best Silk and Gingham, *Blue, Brown, Green, and Black Carved handled Ivory Umbrellas* in the State, at from $5 to $10 each, just at hand from New York this morning. B. B. SMITH.
Sept. 28, 1854. 90—

**NEW STORE!**
**Fall and Winter Goods—1854.**

**McGEE & WILLIAMS** ARE NOW RECEIVING and opening at the Store formerly occupied by W. C. Tucker, their Stock of new and desirable Goods, embracing—

AMERICAN,
ENGLISH,
FRENCH,
SCOTCH,
IRISH,
GERMAN,
SWISS, and
INDIA DRY GOODS.
SILKS,
DRESS GOODS,
SHAWLS,
CLOAKS,
MANTILLAS,
RIBBONS,
HOSIERY,
GLOVES,
LACES,
EMBROIDERIES, &c.

All of which having been bought upon the most favorable terms, they feel confident that purchasers will find it to their interest to call and examine their stock before supplying themselves elsewhere.

THADDEUS McGEE,
ALFRED WILLIAMS.
Raleigh, Sept. 18, 1854. 86—

**Hats and Caps.**

**MACGEE & WILLIAMS** ARE NOW OPENING at their New Store a large and elegant assortment of gentlemen's latest style of Super Moleskin Hats, Cassimere, Fur, and a great variety of soft finish Hats of all the leading Styles.

Also a large assortment of Caps for men, boys and children, consisting of Fur, Cloth, Velvet, Plush, Glazed, &c.

All of which they offer at very low prices.
Raleigh, Sept. 29, '54. 89—

**$350 REWARD,**
**A PROCLAMATION,**

*By His Excellency David S. Reid, Governor of the State of North Carolina.*

Whereas, it has been made to appear to me that one JAMES WILSON, stands charged with the murder of Nathan C. Clayland in the county of Mecklenburg; and whereas it has been made to appear that the said JAMES WILSON has fled beyond the limits of this State.

Now therefore, to the end that the said JAMES WILSON may be brought to justice, I do hereby issue this my Proclamation offering a reward of three hundred and fifty dollars for the apprehension and delivery of said JAMES WILSON to the Sheriff of Mecklenburg.

**DESCRIPTION,**

JAMES WILSON is about 17 or 18 years of age; about 5 feet in height; auburn hair, and of youthful appearance: has some scars or scratches on his face; wide mouth, and face rather broad; is quick and bold in speaking, and inclined to drink.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of North Carolina, of the city of Raleigh, this the 12th day of September A. D, 1854.

[L. S.]

By the Governor: DAVID S. REID.
Samuel F. Adams, Jr., *Private Secretary.*
Sept. 12th, 1854. 85—6t.
Charlotte Democrat will insert six times.

**Pianos Tuned and Repaired.**

**A. G. KERN,** FROM THE CELEBRATED PIANO Manufactory of Knabe, Gaehle & Co., Baltimore, respectfully informs the Ladies and Gentlemen of Raleigh, that he will be in town a few days, to attend to any tuning or repairing of Pianos that may be entrusted to him. Being provided with a very complete set of tools and the best materials, he is confident of giving satisfaction in every case. It is his purpose to visit regularly every year such towns and villages as offer encouragement sufficiently liberal to justify the expense; and thus to supply a want long felt in many parts where the services of reliable tuners can seldom be procured. All orders left at Lawrence's Hotel will receive prompt attention.
Sept. 11, 1854. 1039—w&sw5tpd.

**COMMON SCHOOLS.**—The Board of Superintendents of Common Schools for Wake County will meet at the Court House in the city of Raleigh, on Saturday, the 28th instant, at 11 o'clock.

STEPHEN STEPHENSON, Ch'mn.
Oct. 17, 1854. 94—td

**FRENCH** Worked Collars, Undersleeves, Chimizettes Trimmings, Ribbons, Embroi'd Handkerchiefs, Plain Corsetts, and other articles in that line unnecessary to mention. EVANS & COOKE.

**NEW JEWELRY STORE.**

**CHARLES H. THOMPSON,**

**WOULD** RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE CITIZENS of Raleigh, the county and the country adjoining that he has fittedup in splendid style the house formerly occupied by the Insurance Company, on the west side of Fayetteville Street, and between Mr. S. H. Young's and Murray & O'Neal's Dry Good Stores, where he has opened a *rich and beautiful assortments of* NEW JEWELRY of all the modern styles, consisting of the ornamented and the useful, and to which he invites the attention of the Ladies.

He has also for the gentlemen a good lot of GOLD and SILVER WATCHES, which will be warranted to perform well, when delivered to the customer; also a few excellent double barrel guns brought on expressly for the hunters of Carolina, also a great variety of walking Canes. In fact at the New Jewelry Store, any and every thing usually kept in such establishments may be found at prices that cannot fail to please the customer.

Repairing executed at short notice and satisfaction guaranteed.

October 15, 1854. 94—tf.

☞ Register, Post, Age, Metropolitan copy.

**W. H. & R. S. TUCKER,**

*At their New Store, No. 9, Fayetteville street, Raleigh, N. C.*

**ARE** NOW PREPARED TO EXHIBIT THEIR FALL STOCK OF—FRENCH, GERMAN, SWISS, ENGLISH, SCOTCH, IRISH, AND INDIAN DRY GOODS, comprising one of the largest and most varied assortments everoffered in this city.

SILKS, DRESS GOODS, SHAWLS, CLOAKS, MANTILLAS, RIBBONS, HOSIERY, EMBROIDERIES, LACES, LINENS, &c., will be found in this Stock in great varieties. Their customers and the public generally are earnestly requested to call before purchasing elsewhere, as we will make it to their interest to examine our stock.

Call and see our stock of HATS and CAPS, as we have now in Store all the modern styles, namely, the *Eye Opener, Wide-Awake, Know-Nothing, Fast-a-Sleep, &c., &c.* Also a full stock of men's wear, Groceries and Crockery.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER.
Raleigh, Sept. 10, 1854. 84—

**NEW SHOES BY EXPRESS.**—A VERY LARGE and late arrival of Shoes, from the Manufactury's in Philadelphia, embracing Walking Shoes, Slippers, Bootees, Gaiters. W. H. & R. S. TUCKER.
June 22, 1854. 63—

**ANOTHER** SUPPLY OF THOSE BEAUTIFUL Medium Crown Moleskin Hats, called "the Young Man's Hat," something entirely new.

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER.

**DRESS** TRIMMINGS AND EMBROIDERIES. W. H. & R. S. TUCKER.

**RIBBONS,** GLOVES, UMBRELLAS and PARASOLS [Steeple Tops.] W. H. & R. S. TUCKER.

**ROBINSONS' GAITERS,** SHOES AND SLIPPERS. W. H. & R. S. TUCKER.

**A** BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENN OF LACE GOODS, Collars, Chimezettes and Under Sleves. W. H. & R. S. TUCKER.

**SERVANTS GOODS.**—MARLBORO' STRIPES Plaids, &c. W. H. & R. S. TUCKER.

**Grand Exhibition of New Goods.**

**THE** GRAND EXHIBITION OF FALL AND Winter Goods—will take place at A. CREECHES STORE, To-morrow morning and will continue from day to day, until the entire stock is disposed of. Three Doors above the late R. Smith's corner, and one Door above Evans & Cook Fayetteville St.

B'LK.—Gro de Rhine Silks,
100 Pieces Plaid Strip'd and solid col'd
Muslin de Laines from 12½cts to $1 per yd.
50 P. Blk. and Fancy Plaid Strip'd Alapacas, from 20cts to $1 per yd.
20 P. Cobergs, English and French Merinoes from 30 cts to $1, per yd.
175 P. Newest and latest style Calicoes from 6¼ to 18 cts Per yd.
English and American Ginghams,
Silk Mantilas and Shawls,
Jackonet and Swiss Muslins from 15 to 75 cts,
Linen C. Hank'fs Chemizetts work'd Collars Undersleeves, Bonnets, Sash and Tañta Ribbons, Dress Trimings
Silk, Merino and Lyle, Gloves and Hosiery, Bleach'd and Unbleach'd Domestic; Bed Ticking, Apron Checks; Red and White Flannel, Lincy Woolsey and Strip'd Domestic.

A full and complete assortment of Goods for Men and Boy's wear, Hats, Caps, Boots & Shoes, Bed & Negro Blankets, Kerseys, Umbrellas &c. A good assortment of Ready Made Clothing for Gentlemen's wear. I have the largest, the most handsome and complete stock of Goods I ever had the pleasure of showing the public and my customers.

And here suffer me to say, that the above goods must and shall be disposed of at some price or other.

I ask you all to come that can, and those that cannot come, send—and those that cannot send wish me success, and no doubt the good Being above will amply reward you. I return my hearty thanks to a liberal public for past favors, and hope for a continuation of the same.

A. CREECH.
Raleigh, Sept. 14th 1854. 86—6t.

**Cheap Place.—No. 29, Fayetteville St.**

**WE** ARE NOW IN RECEIPT OF MOST OF OUR FALL purchases, which is more extensive than we have heretofore had, and to which we invite the whole *human race.* Some may choose to call attention by means of *Northern* printed Circulars sent to a favored few—we invite all—the rich, the poor, the bond and the free. Come one, come all—examine our stock, if they *don't* suit, *don't* buy.

We take this occasion to return our acknowledgments to the community by which we have been so liberally sustained. EVANS & COOKE.
Raleigh, Sept. 12, 1854. 84—

**IN** Store every thing in the way of STAPLE GOODS, Calicoes, Brown and Bleach Shirtings and Sheetings, Linen, Diaper, Cotton Flannel, Carpeting.

We call the attention of our friends and the public generally to the stock, assuring them that no pains will be spared to give satisfaction. EVANS & COOKE.
Raleigh, Sept. 16, 1854. No. 29, Cheap Place.
Opposite E. L. Harding's Clothing Emporium.

**LADEIS** may call with perfect safety, feeling assured that they can obtain anything in the way of DRESS GOODS, French and English Merino's French Plaid Goods, all Grades, Cashmers, Delains, Alpaccas, Black Silks, all grades and prices, and perhaps the most beautiful colored do; all of which will be sold for a small advance.
EVANS & COOKE.

**WE** have had no Circulars struck off here or elsewhere—but by this means we call attention to some of our GOODS, viz: Cloths, and Casimeres, Vesting, Kentucky Jeans, Satinetts, Tweeds, North Carolina Casimere, a very pretty article; every kind of Goods in fact for gentlemen's wear. EVANS & COOK.

**FIRST GONE.**—In receipt of Beebe's latest styles No. Ex V HATS. Also Oakford's beautiful style Moleskin Hats. Call soon, for they are circulating very freely.
EVANS & COOKE.

**IF** you want anything in the way of a nice pair of BOOTS we have just received Miles', Bragg's and other Boots, suitable for the season. Call soon, they are circulating freely. EVANS & COOKE.

**A** Splendid lot of SHAWLS, Plain, Plaid, White Silk Crape, Do. Gloves, every quality and price. Call soon as we wish them to be circulating. EVANS & COOKE.

**TO FARMERS.**—We have in Store a well selected assortment of Brogans, pegged and sewed, which will be sold as circumstances will admit of.
EVANS & COOKE.

**NOTICE.**—APPLICATION WILL BE MADE, AT the next Session of the General Assembly of North Carolina, for a Charter for the McIVER COAL COMPANY, an dfor amendments to the Act incorporating the BURRODALE MINING AND TRANSPORTATION COMPANY.
Sept, 28, 1854. 91—td.

**IF YOU WANT** TO SAVE LABOR COME AND get one of Woltering's Morticing Machines, which I warrant to be good, and as cheap as you can buy at the North.
JOS. WOLTERING.
Raleigh, July 14, 1854. 69—1 n.

**New Furniture Store.**

**THE** SUBSCRIBER HAS OPENED A FURNITURE Store on Fayetteville street, opposite Lawrence's Hotel, where he will keep constantly on hand a good stock of Furniture, such as Bureaus, Wardrobes, Chairs, Bedsteads, Rocking Chairs, Revolving Chairs, and every variety of articles usually kept in such establishments, made of Mahogany, Walnut, Poplar, Maple, &c., &c.

☞ All articles in his line manufactured to order with despatch and in the best style. REPAIRING faithfully executed.

**COFFIN MAKING.**

He has provided himself with a new and handsome Hearse, and is prepared to manufacture Coffins of every description, of Mahogany, Walnut, or more common wood.

His terms shall be reasonable, and his utmost endeavors given to please. The patronage of the public respectfully solicited. HENRY J. BROWN.
Raleigh, October 17, 1854 94—3m

**NEW JEWELLERY AND NEW STORE.**—PALMER & RAMSEY having newly fitted up their Store on Fayetteville Street, in elegant style, are now in receipt of a large and splendid stock of new and fashionable Gold and Silver.

Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silver Ware, Cutlery,
Walking Canes, Sepctacles of every variety;
and a general assortment of all articles in their line of business.

Citizens and Visiters are respectfully invited to call and examine our elegant stock, and we feel satisfied they can be suited in making whatever purchases they may desire.

PALMER & RAMSEY.
Raleigh Oct. 16, 1854. 1044—w5w.

**SUPERIOR HAVANA SEGARS.**—30,000 VERY superior Havana Segars.
100,000 Good German Segars.
50,000 Domestic Segars.
Just received and for sale by
BAIN, HATTON & CO.,
Portsmouth, Va.
July 13, 1854. 69—

## USEFUL STATISTICS.

[CAREFULLY COMPILED FOR THE STANDARD.]

### Government of the United States.

| | Salary. |
|---|---|
| FRANKLIN PIERCE, President, | $25,000 |
| William L. Marcy, of New-York, Secretary of State, | 8,000 |
| James Guthrie, of Kentucky, Secretary of Treasury, | 8,000 |
| Jefferson Davis, of Mississippi, Secretary of War, | 8,000 |
| James C. Dobbin, of North-Carolina, Sec'y of Navy, | 8,000 |
| R. A. McClelland, of Michigan, Secretary of Interior, | 8,000 |
| James Campbell, of Pennsylvania, Postmaster-Gen., | 8,000 |
| Caleb Cushing, of Massachusetts, Attorney-General, | 8,000 |

### UNITED STATES SENATE.

The following is believed to be a correct list of the United States Senate, after the 4th of March, 1855:

(Democrats in Roman—Whigs in Italic—those marked *F. S.* are Free-Soilers or Abolitionists.)

| | Term expires. |
|---|---|
| **ALABAMA.** | |
| Benj. Fitzpatrick,* | 1855 |
| Jere. Clemens, | 1859 |
| **ARKANSAS.** | |
| Solon Borland, | 1855 |
| William K. Sebastian, | 1859 |
| **CONNECTICUT.** | |
| *Truman Smith,* | 1855 |
| Isaac Toucey, | 1857 |
| **CALIFORNIA.** | |
| William M. Gwin, | 1855 |
| John B. Weller, | 1857 |
| **DELAWARE.** | |
| James A. Bayard, | 1857 |
| *John M. Clayton,* | 1859 |
| **FLORIDA.** | |
| *Jackson Morton,* | 1855 |
| Stephen A. Mallory, | 1857 |
| **GEORGIA.** | |
| *William C. Dawson,* | 1855 |
| *Robert S. Toombs,* | 1859 |
| **INDIANA.** | |
| John Pettit, | 1855 |
| Jesse D. Bright, | 1857 |
| **ILLINOIS.** | |
| James Shields, | 1855 |
| Stephen A